

Drinking Drivers Beware-- Police on Holiday Watch

Chiefs of police in the Quad-Cities are worried about the area's traffic record over the holiday season.

They are concerned about what can happen, and emphasize about their plans to prevent it happening.

They are particularly concerned about the traditional holiday pattern of parties, drinking and winter weather that already is showing signs of pushing the local area traffic accident curve upward.

"Research and study information circulated to us from the International Association of Chiefs of Police indicates that alcohol is a factor in as many as half of the traffic accidents," local authorities declared in a statement today. "The Christmas-New Year round of festivities often includes more alcohol than we have of us can take."

Area police chiefs were emphatic about the measures their departments are taking to hold down holiday traffic problems. "If you think you can drink freely at parties and then slide behind the wheel of your car hoping you can 'get away with it this time' remember this warning: "Our departments will be out with all the manpower we can muster to protect you — and others—from your own dangerous thinking."

"We may not win popularity contests with those who can't seem to say 'no, thanks' soon enough, but we are determined to see that our drinking and driving laws are strictly enforced."

Reassigned License Plates New in Mail

All applications for reassignment of motor vehicle license numbers and special requests received by Oct. 1 have been processed and the license plates are in the mail, Secretary of State Paul Powell announced today.

Secretary Powell urged motorists not to delay in applying for their plates so that they may be sure that they will have them displayed on their vehicles. The deadline will be no later than Feb. 15, and possibly earlier. The deadline is for having the plates mounted on the vehicles, not merely applied for, resting on a desk at home or being carried inside the vehicle, Powell said.

Cub Scouts of Venice Deliver Hospital Trays

A group of Cub Scouts from Pack 107 in Venice assisted on one of the floors of St. Elizabeth Hospital Monday by serving trays to the patients. Participating in the public service project were Phil Manzi, Richard Foote, Craig Kalozerou, Ray Wise, Bryan Matthews, Scout leader Richard Foote and Dottie Foote.

Auto Window Broken

Charles Rivenburgh, 2321 Clark street, reported at 2 p.m. Monday that four persons drove up to his auto parked on the Tri-Mar lot worked around it a couple of times and then threw an object through the rear window. They left in an older model car.

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Report MAL Landfill Infractions Corrected

Operators of MAL Landfill on Chouteau Island have notified the Illinois Department of Public Health that infractions of landfill regulations alleged by health department inspectors following a tour of the landfill area Dec. 12 have been corrected, and that the operators "invited frequent inspections as a further gesture of our intent to cooperate fully with the state health department and local controlling agencies."

The letter was sent to the state department at Springfield by Kenneth Hartberger, co-operator of the landfill with Melvin Padua of Granite City, and pointed out that while the department's citation had listed certain "discrepancies," it "made no note of the generally improved conditions as noted by Mr. Schlenger."

The landfill was inspected Dec. 12 by State Sen. Merrill Ottwein (R-Edwardsville); Robert Stueger, sanitary engineer of the health department, and Richard Ballard, regional health department representative. In a letter that followed the visit, the landfill was cited for lack of temporary fencing around the dumping area, lack of general policing and inadequate covering of refuse dumped the day previously. All were described by Sen. Ottwein as "minor infractions."

BB Shot into Window

A BB was shot into the office window at L. & W. Movers & Storage, 27th street and Washington street, it was reported at 1:55 Monday.



NON-PROFIT CORPORATION TO BACK FESTIVAL—Incorporation papers for Mississippi River Festival, Inc., a non-profit group which will seek financial support for a 1970 season of the Mississippi River Festival are being filed today. Incorporators are, left to right—Dr. Albert W. Tritan, Granite City dentist; Ernest Karandjeff, Granite City banker; and Dr. John S. Rendleman, chancellor of Southern Illinois University-SW.

River Festival Fund Drive To be Conducted Jan. 4-14

Two more steps to promote a 1970 Mississippi River Festival on the southwestern campus of Southern Illinois University were announced Tuesday.

Incorporation papers for the Mississippi River Festival, Inc., a non-profit Illinois organization were signed Monday; and on Tuesday, the incorporators announced an intensive 10-day fund campaign Jan. 4-14, 1970.

Signing the incorporation papers were Ernest Karandjeff, 2807 Cleveland Blvd., a Granite City banker; Dr. Albert W. Tritan, 1839 Primrose Avenue, a dentist; and Dr. John S. Rendleman, Chancellor of the SIU-SW campus.

The incorporation papers were forwarded to Secretary of State's office in Springfield Tuesday. Dr. Tritan, an alumnus of SIU, Carbondale, will head the fund drive. He was a spokesman for the local citizens group who petitioned the SIU board of trustees to continue the Festival at their December meeting. The SIU board declined at that time to underwrite any deficit for the continuation of MRF, although they indicated a willingness to have the Festival use the facilities of SIU-SW.

Dr. Tritan said today the emphasis of the fund drive would be on individual contributions, because of the short time remaining in which to underwrite a festival.

He said supporters of the Festival hope to have substantial contributions and pledges to present to the SIU trustees when they meet on the local campus Jan. 16.

In the incorporation papers, the purpose listed for the new organization are:

To sponsor an annual Festival of Musical Arts and other Fine Arts, which shall be educational and civic in nature, exclusively with Southern Illinois University-Southwestern and the St. Louis Symphony Society;

To execute all contracts and exercise all powers and responsibilities necessary and pertinent to the Festival;

To receive such gifts, donations, grants and awards as may be tendered for the benefit or enhancement of the Festival.

The 1969 Mississippi River Festival featured six weeks of classical and rock, pop, folk music on the SIU campus at Edwardsville. The St. Louis Symphony Orchestra provided the classical music, along with guest artists. A \$200,000 deficit for the artistically successful season was financed by the University and the Symphony Society with the University absorbing \$150,000 of the total and the Symphony \$50,000.

A projected budget for the proposed 1970 season anticipates a deficit of \$136,000.

Mrs. Mabel Greene, 78, Dies; Ill 3 Years

Mrs. Mabel Greene, 78, of 2845 Iowa street, a 50-year resident of Granite City, died at noon Tuesday at the Colonnades Nursing Home following a three-year illness.

She was born in Bowles, Mo., moving to this community in 1919. Mrs. Greene was a member of the First United Presbyterian Church.

Her husband, Leslie, died March 17, 1956. Surviving are a son, James Greene of Granite City; two brothers, Pierce Mealer and Jessie Mealer both of Washington, Mo.; and two sisters, Mrs. Nell Ming of Washington, Mo., and Mrs. Ollie Nothstein of Tulsa, Okla.

Arrangements are given in today's obituary column.

Mrs. Amelia Robinson, 63, DOA at Hospital

Mrs. Amelia Robinson, 63, of 95 Weaver street, Madison, was taken to St. Elizabeth Hospital and pronounced dead upon arrival at 8:30 p.m. Monday. She was found lying on the living room divan, unconscious, by a nephew, Ernest Robinson, who arrived at the house to shave Mr. Robinson, a semi-invalid.

Mrs. Robinson had a heart ailment, but the family believe she may have suffered a stroke.

She was born in Meridian, Miss., and lived in Madison since the early 1940s. She was a member of the Southern Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Argalia Robinson; and twin brother and sister, Rosie and Cosie Stennis from Nashville, Tenn., and Meridian, Miss. Funeral arrangements are pending at an East St. Louis funeral home.

Sgt. Terry Cooper is Reassigned to Cuba

Marine Sgt. Terry M. Cooper, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper, 506 Jefferson street, Venice, is home on leave from 23 months service in Vietnam before leaving early next month for a new assignment at Quantico Base, Cuba.

Cooper, who has been in service three years, returned to Venice Nov. 11 to end his 23-month Vietnam service, but was reassigned at that time to Lejeune, N.C., where he received his new assignment. The Cuba base a few days ago. He was given his second leave within the past two months to visit his parents before leaving Jan. 8.

His brother, Charles Cooper, a lance corporal in the Marines, also has been reassigned after eight months in Vietnam. He is now with an air wing unit on Okinawa. Their father is a patrolman with the Venice police department.

Tree of Lights

Cub Pack 12 gave two boxes; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kossbaum, four boxes; B&PW Club, three boxes; Dewey Avenue Methodist church, three boxes; United Place Mothers Club, two boxes; Granite City Rotary Club, three boxes.

Wednesday Night Late Owls bowling league, three boxes; Retail Clerks Union, 20 boxes and food; Kirkpatrick Homes Improvement Association, one basket of food—100 sacks of candy and fruit; Flavor Kist, Schulte & Burch Biscuit Co., 25 boxes; Granite City Steel Blast Furnace, 10 boxes, toys and miscellaneous items.

Two separate caroling groups toured their neighborhoods each evening \$10 fr donations. In the groups were Debbie and Pamela Hillmer, Patricia and Jackie Hudson, and Kathleen and Debbie Cleveland and Sherri Lynn.

The National Secretaries Association served as bellringers for one hour on Monday evening taking in \$10.

Registration Charge—Phillip M. Karandjeff, 2541 Cleveland Blvd., was issued a \$15 charge of improper use of auto registration, allegedly for loaning it to someone else.

MORE ABOUT Free Auto

limit the number of free stickers per individual to one. He told council members he had received a call from an elderly, retired man in his ward who owns four cars and was under the impression he would be eligible for four stickers. "There's going to have to be a limit of one," Parnley added.

Council members decided upon a person who is retired and holds no other job and who is 65 or older. The city attorney is to work out the details. Scroggins had submitted a written legal opinion noting that the exemption could be carried out by the city if found to be fiscally feasible.

No figure was available on the number of persons who would be eligible.

Model Traffic Code

The new model traffic code, which incorporates state traffic laws and city control ordinances, also makes the abandonment of old autos on streets a violation. Enforcement of the code, which is to be published in book form, is to begin Jan. 1.

An appendix to the code, all existing stop signs, traffic signals, yield signs and parking zones.

With its adoption, the city will be able to add to its income several hundreds of dollars that now go to the state under its traffic code.

The code was prepared by City Atty. Scroggins at a cost of \$4000, with \$500 to be paid for printing copies. Of the \$5000 total cost, the federal government will pay half. Mayor Partey added that the code is a requirement if the city is to be eligible for federal funds for streets.

Sewers and Schools

In discussing annexation, council members heard a report on sewer services being for new schools to be erected at Nameoki and Maryville roads and a new gas line along Old Altan road.

The city engineer was authorized to confer with school officials on points of possible tap-on for the school buildings along Nameoki and Maryville roads. No problem is foreseen for the grade school to be built along Old Altan road, but the city is reluctant to tap on a city permit on Maryville road at Lynch avenue.

Engineer Kieberger said the Lynch avenue line would have adequate capacity west of the lift station at Maryville road. The city would have adequate capacity west of the lift station at Maryville road.

In discussing annexations, Mayor Partey said he would confer with Port District officials on the harbor site. Nonn added that the city should be able to control the type of warehouse to be constructed so as to specify a fireproof structure. "Our zoning and construction laws should cover us for 1 1/2 miles outside the city limits."

Basarich called for a 60-day limit on the annexation proceedings.

Nonn added that a survey is being made on feasibility of a new subdivision in West Granite with \$17,000 to \$20,000. He added that the city also should be growing north and west to the canal and gravel pits, and that the city should be growing north and west to the residents of the areas.

"People think we're putting pressure on them for annexation, because we won't fight fires outside the city limits," Alderman Dallas commented.

Other aldermen remarked the city had no alternative to protect firefighters and equipment, than to have services outside the city limits. At the Tri-City Port blaze, the fire department was on standby to protect West Granite property from flying embers Dec. 14 and then helped with fires in equipment-loaded construction trailers.

Palsgrove Is Patient At Firm Desloge

Hebert Palsgrove of 2311 Pontoon road, is a patient in the Intensive Care Unit of Firm Desloge Hospital, St. Louis, for treatment of a stroke he suffered Sunday.

He was first admitted to St. Elizabeth Hospital and later transferred to the St. Louis hospital. His condition is listed as serious.

Palsgrove operates the Cut Rate Grocery store located at 1903 Fifth street, Madison.

Pendulum Clock Stolen

Ruth Mitchell, 3132 Colgate place, reported at 1:30 p.m. Monday that an antique green-black wood pendulum wall clock valued at more than \$50 was stolen from the nurse's office at Granite City High school after 3 p.m. Friday.

Marine Course Grad

Marine Pfc Charles M. Jolly, son of Mrs. Kathleen Lancaster of 306 Kirkpatrick Homes, recently graduated from the Automotive Organizational Mechanics Course at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

Toyland Atmosphere at Salvation Army Citadel

The Salvation Army's Citadel has the look of Santa's north pole toy shop with more than 753 toys and games on display, arranged by volunteer workers for parents of needy children to make individual selections for their children.

Gift items were purchased by the Salvation Army for youngsters 11 years and younger. Quad-Citizens, who are eligible for food baskets, were notified earlier of the date and time to select their baskets and choose toys at the Citadel located at 19th street and Grand avenue, on both Tuesday and today.

A total of 524 basket applications was received at the office with at least 45 baskets distributed by the Salvation Army and the remainder of the applications were assigned to organizations and individuals requesting families to whom baskets may be delivered.

Pontoon Beach & Stallings

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FIREMEN, FAMILIES ENJOY HOLIDAY PARTY

The ladies' auxiliary of the Long Lake volunteer fire department held its annual Christmas party Sunday for all firemen and their families.

A pot luck dinner was enjoyed. Christmas cards were sung, and Santa visited with treats and gifts for all the children. Chief Jack Harper received a miniature fire truck. Movies were shown of fires attended, and cartoons were shown for the children.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Don Patterson and children, Vickie, Rickie and Scott, Mr. Gene Hoelter and son, Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mikolazuk and children, Stephen, Cathy, Theresa and Karen. Mr. and Mrs. Don McEwen and children, Don and Lori Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ringling, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Gettleman, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Young and grandchildren, Diane, Billy and Scott Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennerly and son, Edward, Rex Hensley, Charlene Kennerly, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harper and son, John, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kreher and son, Danny.

Miss Jackie Morris, Mrs. Irene Kreher, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atkinson, Rudy Recker, Janet Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Barron, Lee Adams and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reecer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Todd, Mark, Dan, Ron, Betty Barron, Brian Strova, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Trotter and children, Mr. and Mrs. David Koppach and children, Shelly and Mike Bruce, Cristel, Steve Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sobzak.

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Mrs. Marsha Sciaccia and son, Jerry, have arrived from Houston, Tex., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Sobzak and her sister, Mrs. Ramona Burnett, and other relatives during the holidays.

12 Retirements at A. O. Smith Plant

Retirement of 12 employees at the local A. O. Smith Corp. plant was announced this week in the firm's newsletter.

Those retiring were Harold Henke, Lo Sauer, Leon Lemmer, Howard Anderson, Andrew Metrosky, Lester Graham, Jerry Koudelka, Herman Kirkwood, Isaac Morgan, Harry Hand, Clarence Keim and John Soler.

The firm last week served its traditional Christmas dinner to more than 1200 employees.

Nursing Home Vandalism

Dr. J. C. Bowers, operator of the Colonnades Nursing Home, reported Monday that a .38 caliber slug was fired through a window and into the building on the west side. He also reported that two windows were broken out of his trailer parked at the rear of the building where some young boys had been playing.

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Christmas

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MRS. ANN PIEPER AND FAMILY

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SOCIETY

Whittle Club Holiday Party

The Whittle by Whittle club met Monday night at the East Side Levee and Sanitary District building here for a regular meeting and for a pot luck supper and Christmas party.

Mrs. Rosalie Bronnauer and Mr. Jo Gibson conducted weighing and Mrs. Gladys Hutson called roll. Each member answering with a gain or loss for the week. A treasury report was presented by Mrs. Virginia Cotter.

"Queen of the week" was Mrs. Judie Greer, who received her crown and a basket of fruit to which each member had contributed. "Hail to the Queen" was sung in her honor.

The birthday of Mrs. Mary Free was observed with everyone singing "Happy Birthday." The meeting was adjourned for the holiday party and supper.

Mrs. Elsie Mathenia offered prayer. Table decorations included centerpieces of pine branches and red candles, made by Mrs. Hutson. They were awarded as prizes for the evening's games, which were directed by Mrs. Mathenia and Mrs. Blanche Kopic.

Those winning prizes were Mrs. Stella Fischer and Mrs. Peggy Hackney. Others receiving centerpieces were Mrs. Mathenia and the new queen.

A box of Christmas tree ornaments made up of items each member had brought was won by Miss Ruth Stover.

Mrs. Jo Gibson was in charge of a gift exchange. The club presented a gift to the leader, Mrs. Vernie VonNida.

Others present were Mesdames Mary Jo Akeman, Billie Bagl, Mildred Boyer, Gloria Bennett, Sharon Bridgell, Doris Brookshire, Ruth Coad, Sharon DePew, Datha Ely, Janice Hildreth, Ruth Hubbard, Beulah Krause, Phyllis Meyer, Linda Miles, Pat Polo, Norma Ruhl, Donna Shaffer, Jerry Skaggs, Sobolewski, Dolores Townsend, Betty Young, Jolene Myers and Thelma Proyer.

STUDENTS RETURN
Two Granite City students at Southern Illinois University Vocational-Technical Institute in Carbondale have returned home for the holidays. They are Susan M. Friederich, 2138 Clark avenue, enrolled in dental hygiene, and John M. Lerch, 2208 Edgewood street, who is studying machine tool technology.

Canasta filled the remainder of the evening, with Mrs. Lorene Morris, Mrs. Mabel McGee and Mrs. Williams excelling.

Others at the home were Mrs. Rose Ritz, Mrs. Bea Schaffner, Mrs. Ruth Canner, Mrs. Elsie Canner and Mrs. Marge Purcell. Mrs. Joan Graklino, daughter of the hostess, took pictures of the group.

Mrs. Ritz will be the January hostess.

HOLIDAY CHARITY
BY SHIP SHAPE CLUB
The Ship Shape club met Tuesday evening at Schermer's Civic Center with the president, Mrs. Yvonne Pasand, presiding. Each member weighed; those gaining were given penalties and those who lost were honored.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bucher was awarded the evening's prize. An article was read by Mrs. Albert Robertson on "A Gift of Love."

Cookies and candies were placed in boxes to be given for Christmas. Another basket of food was made up to be delivered to a family before Christmas.

Those assisting with the filling of the baskets were Mrs. Pasand, Mrs. Lorene Gremstad, Mrs. Betty Allen, Mrs. Bucher, Mrs. Ernel Williams, Mrs. Geneva Hill, Mrs. Barbara Krohn, Mrs. Pauline Holman, Mrs. Juanita Herrington, Mrs. Shirley Kingsley, Mrs. Beverly Lindsey and Mrs. Thelma Black, who closed the meeting with prayer.

SHELTER HOME IS VISITED BY SANTA
Santa Claus arrived with gifts at the Madison Shelter Home, 1521 Second street, Tuesday afternoon. Clifford Barr acted as Santa in presenting gifts to each patient in the home.

Mrs. Cora Barr, owner of the home, was assisted by the nurses, Mrs. Mary Jo Kidd, Mrs. Iris Johnston, Mrs. Eddie May Barbee and Mrs. Barbara Ingram, in serving ice cream and cookies.

Two Cars Damaged
While backing her car in the 300 block of Watson road in Eagle Park Acres about 3 p.m. Monday, Mabel Harrison, 1653 Fourth street, Madison, struck a car driven by Chesley Lee, 220 Carver street, Eagle Park Acres, which also was backing at the same time, Madison police reported.

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March Wedding
Date is Set
Mr. and Mrs. Wayburn Naylor, 2228 Missouri avenue, are announcing the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Miss Verna Guess, to Gary Reimund, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Reimund of Chammois, Mo.

The wedding of the couple will take place March 7 at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Mr. Reimund is employed by the Nestle Co.

CHILDREN'S PARTY
AT JAYCEE CLUBHOUSE
Granite City Jaycees and Jaycettes entertained children of club members this week at the annual Christmas party, with three underprivileged youngsters attending the affair as special guests.

The event, held in the Jaycee clubhouse, 1853 Poplar street, was highlighted with a visit from Santa Claus and a performance by a magician, Ron Trimmer. Gifts were presented to all the youngsters.

More than 60 adults and children attended the party, which was arranged by Mrs. Janet Harmon, project chairman, assisted by Mrs. Pat McAmish.

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SOCIETY



MISS SANDRA JO BROWN, who will be married to Thaddeus D. Przada. The engagement of the pair has just been announced.

Miss Brown Is Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Brown, 1632 Moro avenue, are announcing the betrothal of their daughter, Sandra Jo, to Thaddeus D. Przada, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus Przada, 1911 North 47 Street, East St. Louis.

Miss Brown, a 1968 graduate of Granite City high school, is a senior at SIU-SW, presently interning at St. Elizabeth's Hospital School of Medical Technology in Belleville. Mr. Przada, an Assumption high school graduate, is a senior at Southern, majoring in applied mathematics. The couple will graduate in June.

25th Anniversary Fete Planned

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stayduhar, 2335 Woodlawn avenue, are being invited to a reception in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of the couple to be held at Pontoon Baptist Church, 4008 Pontoon road, from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday afternoon, Dec. 28.

Lifelong residents of Granite City, Mr. and Mrs. Stayduhar were married at Third Baptist Church. They have one daughter, Mrs. Donna Cavar, a son, Paul, and one grandchild.

Mr. Stayduhar, a computer systems analyst, has been employed by the federal government for the past 20 years. Mrs. Stayduhar is a tax consultant for the HR Block Tax Service and is drama and music director at the Pontoon church where her husband serves as deacon and music leader.

CUB, BOY SCOUTS MEET FOR PARTY

Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts of Pack 9, Troop 9, had a meeting Monday evening at Kirkpatrick Homes Recreation Center.

The meeting opened with the presentation of the flag, and carols were sung for the 50 Cubs and Scouts and their parents. Awards were given by Cubmaster Wilmer Stapleton and Scoutmaster John Greene.

Jerry Flora and Charles Woods went from Webelos into Denfoot and Scouter Bud Gaines welcomed them into Scouting.

Senior Patrol leader Danny Greene, assistant Senior Patrol leader Charles Heble, and Patrol Leader Wayne Heble were introduced and Kenny Mains was presented with the Cub-Of-The-Month award by Den Mother Ellie Woods, who in turn was presented with a one-year pin by the Cubmaster.

Prizes were awarded for the candy sales and Boy Scout uniforms were won by Charles Woods and Wayne Heble. Bud Gaines received a scout shirt for second place.

Santa Claus arrived with treats for the members, and there was also an exchange of gifts. A decorated Boy Scout cake was served with other refreshments.



BRIDE-TO-BE. Miss Linda C. Harper, whose engagement to Chris S. Amisch is announced.

Amisch-Harper Engagement

The verse, "Behold God exalteth by his power, who teacheth like him?" taken from the book of Job is included in the lesson-sermon to be given at the 10:45 a.m. service Sunday at First Church of Christ, Scientist at 2660 Delmar avenue.

A passage from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy will also be read. The public is welcome to attend.

Miss Harper holds a secretarial position with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in St. Louis. Her fiancée is employed by the Granite City Steel Co. Wedding plans have not been made.

FREE TOUR LITERATURE AT HOLIDAY SERVICE

SUNDAY SERVICES AT 1ST CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST

CLASS HAS 'BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JESUS'

The two-year-old class of the nursery department of Grace Baptist Church attended a "birthday party for Jesus" under the direction of their teachers, Mrs. Carol Masters and Mrs. Faye Hester, this week.

With Christmas music playing in the background, Rev. Cliff Moeller, pastor of the church, told the children the Christmas story and then led them in singing, "Jesus Loves Me."

The youngsters opened gifts which had been under a small tree. The gifts had been brought by the children to be given to their nursery class.

After a play period, the children gathered around a birthday cake, baked by Mrs. Masters; it was decorated with a manger scene.

They sang "Happy Birthday" and were then served cake and fruit juice. Party favors were small red felt Christmas stockings, stuffed with candy, which had been made by Mrs. Hester.

Children attending were Tammy Bundy, Becky Masters, Zandra Yount, Craig Miles, Ricky Weiss, Jocy Stavley, Kellye Worster and Elizabeth Childers.

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State's Budget Bureau to Help Cut Govt. Cost

Illinois' new Bureau of the Budget should enable Gov. Ogilvie to increase the efficiency of state government while trimming costs, according to State Sen. Merrill Otiswin (R-Edwardsville).

Otiswin noted this week that for the first time in history of Illinois state government a separate agency will review all budget requests submitted by the departments directly under the governor's jurisdiction.

The bill setting up the bureau was approved during the 1969 session of the General Assembly and signed into law by Gov. Ogilvie.

Observers view the bureau as an organization which could eventually save taxpayers many thousands of dollars by paring down department budget requests and by reorganizing existing state agencies for more time-saving and cost-cutting government.

To Advise Governor
The bureau will make detailed studies of all departments under the governor's jurisdiction. They will review plans, program and policies. Their recommendations will be forwarded to the governor, Otiswin explained.

"State government is big business," the senator said. "The taxpayer public is tired of waste and duplication. The new bureau will help Gov. Ogilvie manage state government like a successful enterprise efficiently."

In addition, the bureau's studies will aid the governor in the

Percy Requests Stamp Honoring Sen. Dirksen

U. S. Senator Charles H. Percy (R-Ill.) this week urged the Post Office Department to issue a special stamp commemorating the late Senator Everett McKinley Dirksen.

In a letter to Postmaster General Winton M. Blount, Percy said, "To what must already be a mounting volume of letters and comments in support of this proposal, I would like to add my strongest support for the issuance of such a stamp."

"We are all aware of the splendid and unique contribution which Senator Dirksen made to the Congress and the nation in his 36 years of legislative service and leadership."

"Certainly, no one effort could completely and properly memorialize this great man. But I believe that a special stamp, to be sold in the denomination and design of the Post Office General, would be an important part of our recognition of his life of service."

"I'm sure that I speak for all the citizens of Illinois in asking that the Advisory Committee favorably consider the Dirksen stamp at its next meeting," he said.

Percy noted that Cong. Robert Michel (R-Ill.) has introduced a resolution in the House of Representatives calling for a stamp to be issued to mark the late Senator Dirksen's 74th birthday, which he would have celebrated Jan. 4, 1970.

development of cooperative intergovernmental policies for the efficient coordination of federal, state and local fiscal programs, Otiswin concluded.

Former GC Man Recalls Silo Blaze and Rescue

A 63-year-old photograph published in the Press-Record's Dec. 8 issue, which vividly detailed a fire in progress at United Starch and Refining Co., invoked memories for one former Granite Cityan who now resides in Jacksonville, Fla.

In a letter to the newspaper, Ralph Mefford, 100 Julia street, Jacksonville, recalled with interest the spectacular blaze in the tall brick silo, which occurred in 1907 when the former resident was about 8½ years old.

The photograph, furnished by Police Sgt. and Mrs. Michael J. Devine, was uncovered recently by the latter's relatives in Pinckneyville, Ill. The photographer was Ivan Carr, a great-uncle of Mrs. Devine.

Initial information concerning the picture was provided by Mayor Donald Partney, who remembered stories about the fire told in later years. All focused on the feats of a spectator, watching the inferno, who rescued a workman trapped inside the silo.

Similar details were recalled by Mefford, who stated in his letter: "We were coming over the levee from a swim in Gabaret Slough when the roof of the storage elevator blew off and the blaze shot up."

"When we arrived at the scene, the spectator was on his way up the pipe... a feeder pipe through which the grain travelled down to the syrup house."

"The spectator was Leo Wise, the owner of the Wise Garage, located in the 1800 block of Delmar or Edison ave."

nues. Leo was a member of the Granite City volunteer fire department and was on duty fighting the fire. The workman he rescued recovered from his burns, but one of his ears was removed and his face was severely burned.

"Of course, Leo Wise was a hero to all us kids," Mefford continued. He also noted in his letter that in a Press-Record contest many years ago, seeking the most popular boy in Granite City, he finished second to Bob Martin, "who was much better looking than I was and his father drove the fire truck."

Mr. Mefford currently operates a coin and stamp shop in downtown Jacksonville.

Higher Interest May Encourage Bonds Sale

Commenting on the new 9½ interest rate for U. S. Savings Bonds, Henry D. Karandjeff, local banker and Madison county chairman for Savings Bonds program, said today: "The new higher rate announced by President Nixon makes Savings Bonds a better buy than ever before."

"The increased rate will greatly benefit the members of our communities who have been putting aside dollars regularly—through payroll savings plans or over-the-counter purchases at their banks—savings for a new home, farm improvements, an automobile, college for the children, a dream vacation or a retirement nest egg," the local chairman stated.

A 9½ interest rate applies to all outstanding Series E and H Bonds sold after June 1, 1969, if held to maturity. All outstanding E and H Bonds also benefit from the new rate, beginning with the first semi-annual interest period starting on or after June 1.

According to Karandjeff, "The maturity period for Series E Bonds has been reduced from seven years to five years, ten months. H Bonds continue to mature in ten years."

"Freedom Shares," which have been sold in combination with E Bonds since May 1, 1967—will be removed from sale effective June 31, 1970," he announced.

"The higher rate should boost Savings Bonds sales throughout our area, providing an added incentive for our young folks, many of whom have not yet learned to save the Savings Bonds way," the chairman pointed out.

Employers Not Allowed Fee for Withholding

Employers cannot charge the state a fee for withholding state income tax, according to court rulings announced by Illinois Atty. Gen. William J. Scott.

The ruling resulted from a suit brought on behalf of all Illinois employers by Sherman Reynolds, Inc., a Chicago metals manufacturing firm. The suit asked that the state be required to compensate employers for work they perform in withholding employee's tax for the state.

The suit was dismissed by Cook County Circuit Judge Donald J. O'Brien on the petition of Calvin C. Campbell, chief of the attorney general's Revenue Litigation Department.

To Postpone Meeting

The Granite City district commissioners whose regular meeting is scheduled tonight will postpone all business actions until Monday night, according to Frank Rea, board secretary. A quorum of the board will meet tonight long enough to officially recess the regular session until Monday, Rea said.

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Proclamation

WHEREAS, The citizens of this community acknowledge that our national survival requires world wide cooperation and communication and that this country's highest ideals and aspirations are closely allied with the hopes and aims of peoples everywhere; and

WHEREAS, All Americans face the holiday season with heavy hearts when they think of United States servicemen and women who face continuous mistreatment and torture as prisoners of the communists; and

WHEREAS, our community has a continuing sense of gratitude to those veterans who have one so much to keep our way of life intact. We must not forget these guardians of our freedom—and their families—who have suffered so much on our behalf; and

WHEREAS, The National Committee for Responsible Patriotism has launched a massive petition drive appealing to the people and governments of the world to demand humane treatment for prisoners of the Hanoi regime.




NOW THEREFORE, I, Donald Partney, mayor of the City of Granite City, do hereby proclaim January as "Support our Captured Servicemen" month in Granite City. This period to be dedicated to gathering petition signatures throughout our City.

Donald Partney,
Mayor of Granite City

Accident Correction

George Bocian, who was injured in an accident on Dec. 6 and recently released from St. Elizabeth Hospital, resides at 2006 Grand avenue, instead of in the 2000 block of Missouri avenue, as was listed on the crash report. Bocian said his auto was not zip-zagging, but skidded on wet pavement before striking a sign post in the 1000 block of Madison avenue.

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MONDAY, DEC. 29

Game 1 — Granite City vs. Deerfield 9 a.m.
Game 2 — Waukegan vs. Champaign Centennial, 10:30.
Game 3 — De LaSalle vs. University High (Normal), 1 p.m.
Game 4 — Lockport Central vs. Streator, 2:30.
Game 5 — Sterling vs. Richwoods, 4.
Game 6 — La Salle, Peru vs. Glenbard West, 7.
Game 7 — Pontiac vs. Altoona, 8:30.
Game 8 — Bloom vs. St. Mel (Providence), 10.

TUESDAY, DEC. 30

Game 9 — Losers of games 1 and 2, 9 a.m.
Game 10 — Winners of games 3 and 4, 10:30.
Game 11 — Losers of games 5 and 6, 1 p.m.
Game 12 — Winners of games 1 and 2, 2:30.
Game 13 — Losers of games 5 and 6, 4.
Game 14 — Winners of games 5 and 6, 7.
Game 15 — Winners of games 7 and 8, 8:30.
Game 16 — Losers of games 7 and 8, 10.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 31

Game 17 — (consolation semifinals), Winners of games 9 and 11, 9 a.m.
Game 18 — (consolation semifinals), Winners of games 13 and 15, 10:30.
Game 19 — (championship semifinals), Winners of games 12 and 14, 1 p.m.
Game 20 — (championship semifinals), Winners of games 14 and 15, 2:30.
Game 21 — (consolation third place), Losers of games 17 and 18, 4 p.m.
Game 22 — (consolation final), Winners of games 17 and 18, 7.
Game 23 — (championship third place), Losers of games 19 and 20, 8:30.
Game 24 — (championship final), Winners of games 19 and 20, 10.

Oxford a Mainstay Of Cape Mat Team

A Granite City youth, Gary Oxford, is one of four returning lettermen this winter on the varsity wrestling squad at Southeast Missouri State College, Cape Girardeau.

The squad this winter is being coached by Dr. McNaughton, a former NCAA heavyweight champion at Auburn (Ala.) University. Dr. McNaughton joined the Southeast Missouri State faculty in September after teaching at the Frostburg, Md., State College.

Oxford, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oxford, 2424 Killarney drive, is competing in the 126-pound weight class. He is a sophomore majoring in mathematics and minoring in physical education.

GC Park Basketball

MONDAY
Classic League
At Prather
High School Faculty vs. McDonald's Axmen, 7:30 p.m.
Granite Sheet Metal vs. Clark's Hardfacing, 8:30 p.m.

Lack of Gymnasium the Only Dark Cloud on Cougars' Sports Horizon

Fans of varsity sports at Southern Illinois University's Southwestern campus during the past 12 months had much to cheer about and they have much to look forward to in the coming years.

Soccer, under internationally known coach Bob Gueller, grabbed the major share of the public's and the student body's attention and following.

The Cougar kickers started the 1969 season with a 10-0 record built during the '68 season and finished their regular schedule with 10 victories and one tie to run their undefeated streak to 21.

SIU-SW's 10-0-1 record qualified the soccer team for one of four prestigious berths in the Midwest NCAA post-season tournament, along with St. Louis University, Michigan State University and Cleveland State.

Loss to National Champions The Cougars drew St. Louis University as their first-round foe and, after holding the Billikens to a 1-0 first half, dropped the decision, 4-0. Taking some of the disappointment out of the loss to St. Louis was the fact that the Cougars won the national championship.

Two players from the SIU-SW squad, John Carezza and Ed Blake, were chosen from a field of the best collegiate soccer players to try for a berth on the U.S. Olympic team to play in the 1972 Olympic in Munich, Germany.

From the Cougar starting

eleven, only two seniors will be lost for 1970, Jim Hoff and Jim Hunter. And Carezza will almost surely be chosen on the 19 All-American soccer team.

Growing Baseball Strength

Cougar Roy E. Lee's baseball squad posted a 7-10 record in '68 in a vastly expanded second year.

On the Cougars' pre-season tour, Lee's charges looked impressive as they split series with Jacksonville U., Tampa U., and Valdosta State of Georgia, while beating Kent State and losing to Annapolis Naval Academy, 1-2.

Indicative of the strength the baseball team will have in '70 is the fact that only two senior starters, first baseman Gary Collins and catcher Bob Reichert, were lost by graduation. A total of 16 talent-loaded hopefuls turned out for the Cougars' fall practices.

Boostered by Transfers

Cougar Coach Carezza's baseball squad, 7-10, for the 1968-69 season, is strengthened by players who advanced from the Cougars' freshman squad to play three shutout junior college transfers, Ron Crites of Fresno State, and Dennis Carroll and Fred White, both of St. Louis.

The Cougars cagers are led by Coach Ed Bigham's SIU-SW team captain and leading scorer, last season and so far this season, Fred White, a standout Rich Essington is back and again is the floor general.

SIU-SW's golf team, led by

Edwardsville's Len Scheibel, who was picked as the Cougars' 1968-69 athlete of the year, posted a 17-5 record under the coaching of Bill Brick.

Since only Scheibel and Dick Gerber were lost by graduation, new golf coach Gallatin should have another strong team led by Belleville's Tom Kamman. Brick has taken a leave of absence to work on his doctorate.

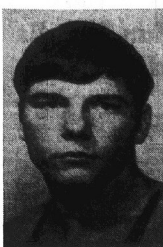
Track, Wrestling Added

Two new varsity sports were added for the 1969-70 school year, track and wrestling. Named to coach the track squad was Jack Whitted, Larry Kristoff, a SIU-Carbondale grad and one of the world's top amateur wrestlers, will tutor the mat team.

Coach John Flamer's cross-country team enjoyed an impressive 1968 season with a 9-6 record as his hardies broke five school records. The Cougar cross-country team was coached by Belleville freshmen Bruce Ferry and team captain Gus Schalkham of Granite City.

Gallatin, who is also head of cross-country athletics, said he hopes to add tennis soon, and other sports as facilities and coaches become available.

Biggest need at SIU-SW now is for an on-campus gym. Temporary physical education facilities are to be built and completed in time for spring sports, but a physical education building is still under construction. "home" for the cagers remains the most pressing need in the Cougars' future.



MATMAN Rick Smith, a graduate of last year's Warrior wrestling team, who now grapples for the University of Missouri at Columbia.

Mizzou Coach Vernon (Hap) Whitney says that Smith, "is our No. 1 167-pounder. He is a fine prospect, with good potential. Rick comes from a fine high school program that is very rich in wrestling tradition. He is well-schooled in consider his coach, Bill Schmitt, one of the finest high school coaches in the country."

Hutchings on West Wyoming Quintet

Rich Hutchings, a Warrior cager last season, is now bouncing the ball for Western Wyoming junior college. Commenting on learning under a new coach and on the caliber of competition in Wyoming, he says, "I haven't played well. I've got a lot to do."

So far, Hutchings is averaging ten points and leads his team at the backboards with 11 rebounds per game.

Grappler Unbeaten

East St. Louis Lincoln's heavyweight wrestler, John Dancy, remained undefeated in pinning his Edwardsville opponent after 41 seconds Tuesday. Lincoln won the meet 40-11.



HOW TO DO IT. A step on the opposition in basketball can mean the difference between victory or defeat. Rich Essington of Venice, SIU-SW basketball "field general," here shows how to get that "step on the opposition" in a Cougar victory over Harris Teachers College.

15 High Schools Will Compete in Holiday Wrestling Tourney Here

Granite City's holiday wrestling tournament will begin at noon Monday at the GCHS gym.

The defending tourney champion Warriors may receive strong challenges for the 1969 title from Sterling, Bloomington, Belleville East and Jacksonville, East St. Louis Lincoln, an outside threat for the trophy, could act as a "spoiler" during the meet, with several powerful wrestlers capable of upsetting championship contenders.

Sessions for the tourney also will be held at 7 p.m. Monday and 11 a.m. Tuesday, with finals starting at 3 p.m. Tuesday.

Other schools to compete are: Alton, Edwardsville, East St. Louis, Mattoon, Wood River, Stephen Decatur, Peoria, Richwoods, Bethalto and Champaign Central.

Evans Vs. Evans

Bruce Evans, 165-pound Warrior, delivering eight pins, has won by a fall on more occasions than his teammates. He has a 10-2 match record. In his weight class, two opponents are prominent: Lincoln's Joe Brown to whom Evans bowed several weeks ago, and Belleville East's Tim Evans, a defending sectional champ.

Al Bridgeman, at 123 pounds, is the winningest Warrior with an 11-1 log. His major holiday

mat task may be Sterling's Marc Hammel, a past state qualifier.

Lenny Wilson, at 115 pounds, will be able to meet a foe who married his record to 10-2, Jacksonville's Rick Williams. In the same weight class is Sterling's John Zemke, a defending GC trophy champ.

Fay Burcham, 130, may meet Bloomington's Steve Tudd, who has beaten Burcham. Burcham is 8-2-1 in matches. Belleville East's Ricky Schewe also commands respect.

Defending Titlist

Cliff Yeager or possibly Randy Fowler will defend Granite City against the 137-pounders. Each has a 2-6 log. Edwardsville's Mike Fetter, now at this weight, is a defending GC tourney titlist at 133.

Others representing Granite City in the tourney, followed by won-loss records, will be: 96-pound Bruce Miller 7-2; 107, Lenny Fuchs 8-4; 145, Roger Hayes 2-2; 155, Frank Mehele 6-4; 175, Steve Ganz 8-4; 185, Jim Greenwald 3-4; heavyweight, at 245, a record of 1-0.

All but Wilson and Greenwald in the "live" in each weight class will contest in the finals for the tourney championship. Additional visiting grapplers, who have before prove to be

particularly strong include 107-pound Barry Smoots of Bloomington and Sterling's Curt Kradie, a past state qualifier; 145, Decatur's Dave Taylor, runner-up in the last GC tourney; 155, Jacksonville's Martin Hammer, runnerup here and a state qualifier; and Sterling's George Biskak, a state qualifier; 175, Decatur's Ty McMillan, third at the last GC tourney and Sterling's Rick Schaefer, defending GC tourney champ at 165; 185, East Side's William Moore and Lincoln's Arthur Carson; and heavyweight, Lincoln's John Danney, defending GC tourney champ.

In past years, individual weight class champions will not be determined by simple won-loss match eliminations. In each weight class, wrestlers will face off according to a round robin determination until all but three individuals have accumulated six bad-marks. Bad-marks will be given to grapplers according to the scale of four for losing by a pin, three for losing by a decision, two for a forfeit and one for winning by a decision and none for a win by pin.

The three wrestlers who remain "alive" in each weight class will contest in the finals for the tourney championship. Additional visiting grapplers, who have before prove to be

Edwardsville Tournament

MONDAY, DEC. 29

Game 1—Madison vs. Bunker Hill, 9 a.m.
Game 2—Cahokia vs. Litchfield, 10:30.
Game 3—East St. Louis vs. Quincy CBC, 1 p.m.
Game 4—Bloomington vs. Jerseyville, 2:30.
Game 5—Triad (Troy-St. Jacob-Marine) vs. West Frankfort, 4.
Game 6—Springfield vs. Roxana, 6:30.
Game 7—Edwardsville vs. Du Quoin, 8.
Game 8—Decatur MacArthur vs. Johnston City, 9:30.

TUESDAY, DEC. 30

Game 9—Losers of games 1 and 2, 9 a.m.
Game 10—Losers of games 3 and 4, 10:30.
Game 11—Losers of game 5 and 6, 1 p.m.
Game 12—Losers of games 7 and 8, 2:30.
Game 13—Winners of games 1 and 2, 4.
Game 14—Winners of games 3 and 4, 6:30.
Game 15—Winners of games 5 and 6, 8.
Game 16—Winners of games 7 and 8, 9:30.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 31

Game 17—(Consolation Semifinals), Winners of games 9 and 10, 9 a.m.
Game 18—(Consolation Semifinals), Winners of games 11 and 12, 10:30.
Game 19 — (Championship Semifinals), Winners of games 13 and 14, 1 p.m.
Game 20 — (Championship Semifinals), Winners of games 15 and 16, 2:30.
Game 21 — (Consolation Final), Winners of games 17 and 18, 3:30.
Game 22 — (Championship Final), Winners of games 19 and 20, 5:30.

Area Conference Cage Standings

SOUTHWESTERN

	Conf.	Overall
Collinsville	3	0
Alton	3	0
Belleville West	3	1
Bud, 9 a.m.	2	2
Edwardsville	0	2
Wood River	0	2
East St. Louis	4	1

MIDWESTERN

	W	L	T
Bethalto	3	0	0
Triad	4	1	6
Madison	1	1	2
Highland	1	2	4
Dupo	0	5	0

Area Sports Agenda

FRIDAY

Venice vs. Gibault of Waterloo at Freeburg Tourney, 5 p.m.
(Basketball)
Venice vs. (winners) bracket Freeburg-Dupo victor, 8 p.m. or (losers) bracket Freeburg-Dupo loser 1 p.m., Freeburg tourney

MONDAY

(Basketball)
Venice, if twice winners, vs. Highland - Lebanon - Waterloo-Marissa survivor at Freeburg tourney, 8:30 p.m.
Granite City vs. Deerfield at Pontiac tourney, 9 a.m.
Madison vs. Bunker Hill at Edwardsville tourney, 9 a.m.

Granite City holiday tournament at GCHS gym, sessions beginning at noon and 7 p.m.

Underclassmen's Cage Competition

MONDAY

8th, Central 45 (Mike Martinez 23), Grigsby 25 (McBride 8), 7th, Grigsby 23 (Logan 11), Central 14 (Drew Taylor, Sonny Hankins, each 5)
Sophomores and Freshmen, Dupo vs. MHS, postponed due to scheduling mixup.

Freeburg Cage Meet

FRIDAY, DEC. 26

Game 1—New Athens vs. Red Bud, 9 a.m.
Game 2—Columbia vs. Valmeyer, 10:30.
Game 3—Chester vs. Carlyle, 1 p.m.
Game 4—Odin vs. Christopher, 2:30.
Game 5—Venice vs. Gibault (Waterloo) 5.
Game 6—Freeburg vs. Dupo, 6:30.
Game 7—Highland vs. Lebanon 8.
Game 8—Waterloo vs. Marissa, 8:30.

SATURDAY, DEC. 27

Game 9—Losers of games 1 and 2, 9 a.m.
Game 10—Losers of games 3 and 4, 10:30.
Game 11—Losers of games 5 and 6, 1 p.m.
Game 12—Losers of games 7 and 8, 2:30.
Game 13—Winners of games 1 and 2, 4.
Game 14—Winners of games 3 and 4, 6:30.
Game 15—Winners of games 5 and 6, 8.
Game 16—Winners of games 7 and 8, 9:30.

MONDAY, DEC. 29

Game 17—(consolation semifinals), Winners of games 9 and 10, 9 a.m.
Game 18—(consolation semifinals), Winners of games 11 and 12, 10:30.
Game 19 — (championship semifinals), Winners of games 13 and 14, 1 p.m.
Game 20 — (championship semifinals), Winners of games 15 and 16, 2:30.

TUESDAY, DEC. 30

Game 21—(consolation final), Winners of games 17 and 18, 3 p.m.
Game 22—(third place) Losers of games 19 and 20, 6:30.
Game 23—(championship final), Winners of games 19 and 20, 8:30.

Trojans Seeking Third Win in Tourney Opener

The hardwood Trojans will open the Edwardsville tourney at 9 a.m. Monday against Bunker Hill.

Madison carries a 2-3 record after a 65-32 loss last week to once-beaten Triad. In that game, MHS never caught up after going scoreless for a span of six minutes early in the game.

The cold shooting spell against Triad was the Trojans' downfall in that game. In other contests this season, the general weakness has been insufficient success in dominating play under the hoop.

Joe Dozier, though his point total has been erratic from game to game, has figured strongly in the Trojans' board strength several nights.

Coach Larry Graham describes Dozier as not the team's key scorer but capable of regularly tallying in double figures. He is hard working on the press and when opponents' defense slackens, he is able to pick up a flurry of points.

Against Bunker High, the guard.

height advantage will go to the Trojans. Speed and quickness are Bunker Hill's strengths. A strong Staunton club and Venice have bowed to Bunker Hill in earlier games.

Offense Perking Up

For the coming tourney and the season, Graham is looking to John Cannon and Charles Pogorelec to add shooting marksmanship. Hopefully, they will give Tom Noel and Chuck Dandridge much help on offense and give consistency to the team's foul throw tossing.

Individuals' present foul shot accuracy ranges from zero to 100%.

The Trojans have markedly improved from the free throw line. In their most recent game, against Triad, they made 14 of 18 attempts.

Cannon, Coach Graham notes, is still recovering from a football knee injury and is able to move at only three-quarters speed. Cannon, only 6-0 but with great jumping ability, can be used as either a forward or guard.

Fifth Shutout Victory By GCHS Soccer Squad

The spacy Warriors gained their fifth shutout of the season, blanking Assumption 3-0 under the lights at the GCHS stadium Monday evening.

Dewey Bronnbauer, Dennis Reutebuch and Bobby Galvan knuckled in the goals, all after halftime.

With an assist from Reutebuch, Bronnbauer kicked from 30 yards out for the opening goal.

Reutebuch's goal entered the net, ending a series of passes. The final netting boot was a solo effort by Galvan.

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Changes to be Made At Carbondale Campus

Southern Illinois University physical plant crews at Carbondale will take advantage of the Christmas vacation break to effect some space changes.

The student activities and student government offices will be moved from the University Center to the former registrar's office barracks, and so will some pool and billiard tables in the center's Olympic room.

Center director Clarence Dougherty said the moves are necessary to relocate the center book store in the game room area and to begin work on an escalator installation where the activities offices are now.

The work is part of an \$8½ million expansion and completion project at the center. Pool tables eventually will be put back in the old book store location.

In other moves the mathematics department will be switched from the top floor of the Technology building to the Physical Sciences II office wing now nearing completion. Overflow physics and chemistry offices in stage I of the building also will be moved to the new wing.

The foreign language laboratory, moved to Woody hall after the Old Main fire, will be relocated in the new temporary classroom structures at Washington and Pearl streets.

Interviews for Park Jobs Set Next Week

College students home for Christmas who are interested in summer employment with the Granite City park district, together with high school students, senior citizens and other local residents, may submit applications and be interviewed from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Park Supt. Harold Brown announced today.

About 100 jobs will be available with the park district next

summer, he said. Positions include those of lifeguard, bath house attendant, concession stand worker, maintenance, park police, recreational leaders and junior and senior recreational aides.

Application forms are available at the Wilson Park office, where preliminary interviews will be conducted. Successful applicants will be notified in March or April.

Summer Youth Music Program Set at U. I.

Applications are now being accepted for the Illinois Summer Youth Music program to be held for a series of two-week sessions June 28-Aug. 7 at the University of Illinois.

The program offers a comprehensive curriculum of high school students in band, piano, voice, percussion, jazz and orchestra arrangements. Cost of the program is \$10. Students will be housed in a residence hall.

The program is designed for students who are already accomplished in their areas of performance and is not meant for beginners. Further information is available from Robert Schaefer, U. of I. Summer Youth Music, 608 South Mathews, Urbana, Ill. 61801.

Phyllis Boda Named To Fall Dean's List

Phyllis Boda, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Boda, 2017 St. Clair avenue, has been named to the fall quarter dean's list at Concordia Teachers College, River Forest, Ill.

She is a junior and is preparing for a career in the educational program of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Her father is pastor of St. John Lutheran Church.

Training at Lackland

Airman Charles W. Schmitt, son of Dr. and Mrs. Carlyle A. Schmitt of 138 Arlington Heights, has completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex. A 1969 graduate of Granite City high school, he is remaining at Lackland for training as a security policeman.

EIU to Conduct Tour, Study Trip to Ireland

Eastern Illinois University is again offering a summer study project in Ireland that features a six-week independent study program and the opportunity for an additional three weeks in Europe.

Any junior, senior, or graduate student in good standing at an American college or university, and who is recommended by the head of the participating Eastern department, is eligible to apply.

Nine quarter hours of credit may be earned in one of these fields:

Anthropology, economics, English literature, history, political science, sociology, zoology, theater arts.

Students will work on projects approved by the appropriate department at Eastern. There will be no regularly scheduled class instruction during the six weeks in Dublin.

Cost of the project, including travel, is \$687. Students who do not wish to travel during the three weeks may elect to stay in Ireland so that the group can return to the U. S. together.

Summer Courses in Europe Planned by SIU

The Extension Services at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale is planning a study-and-travel program in Europe for the students, faculty, staff, and their immediate families in the summer of 1970.

The annual summer program will be expanded next summer when two chartered jet planes will take 340 members from SIU to study and travel in countries in Europe, Dean Raymond Dey of the Extension Services has announced.

Students attending SIU extension classes are eligible to participate in this program, he added.

The purpose of the trip is to encourage the SIU members to broaden their own education through travel, Dey said. Credit courses which are particularly suited to instruction in Europe will be offered by SIU faculty. Participants also can take the opportunity to travel alone in Europe.

The planes will leave St. Louis June 23 for London and will return from London to St. Louis, Aug. 25 or 27, with one east coast stop each trip. Complete round-trip fare is \$310.

2 GC Students Named President's Scholars

Jeffrey A. Lybarger, 1825 Primrose avenue, majoring in pre-medicine, and Lynn Sabin, 21 Mercer drive, with a major in chemistry, are listed with 232 new members of the President's Scholars program at SIU-Carbondale, drawn from the ranks of SIU's brightest underclassmen.

President's Scholars are selected on the basis of college entrance test scores and predicted grade point average at SIU. Those chosen must maintain a minimum 4.0 average (on SIU's 5.0 grade scale) to remain in the program.

Started two years ago as a distinctive honors experience for gifted and promising students, the program has continued to grow in higher educational opportunities being offered.

Scholars have special library privileges, honors sections of various courses, special seminars, early advisement programs, and other perquisites.

The program has its own meeting and administrative center and is directed by Bruce MacLachlan, assistant professor of anthropology.

Decade of Growth Shows SIU Making Adulthood Status

In the fall of 1959, Southern Illinois University passed Northwestern to become the second largest higher learning institution in Illinois.

It entered the decade of the 60's with 11,394 students, making it No. 41 in the nation.

Now, going into the 70's, SIU is still No. 2 in Illinois but it has leap-frogged up the national scale to 17th position, a ranking that boggles even most recent graduates' minds.

While SIU's breakout from teacher's college status to full-blown academic adulthood began in the 50's, it was in the 10-year span now ending that the fact of growth became more apparent than the pains.

Some signposts at either end of the decade help tell the story.

Compared to the 11,000-plus students on hand then, SIU now counts more than 35,000. In the past 10 years alone, SIU has completed \$83 million in new construction of every kind.

In 1960, SIU awarded 1414 degrees; eight of them included the narrow-lined hood of the still-new SIU Ph.D. Approximately 5999 degrees were conferred in 1969, and of those, 103 were doctorates.

Outside agencies channeled \$628,000 in research funds to SIU 10 years ago. Grants for research, training and equipment on the books at the end of this year totaled more than \$3,500,000.

SIU's faculty-staff payroll in 1960 covered 1908 persons. Today, with two major campuses in operation, it tops 6400 at all levels.

2 Complete Student Teaching Assignments

David Roudy and Miss Mary Ann Abramovich, students at SIU-SW campus, recently completed student teaching assignments at Grigsby junior high school.

Roudy resides with his wife at 2201 State street. He graduated from Granite City senior high school in 1966 and attended SIU-SW East St. Louis center prior to transferring to the new campus. With a major in mathematics and minor in physics, Roudy has completed college, and will teach at Triad junior high school next semester.

Miss Abramovich, a daughter of Mrs. Catherine Abramovich of 2904 State street, was salutatorian of her 1966 Granite City high school class. She will continue her education at SIU-SW for two more quarters, graduating in June. Her major was in mathematics and minor in Instructional Materials (Library science).

Sarah Hayes Elected Roca Winter Sweetheart

Sarah "Betsy" Hayes, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Hayes, 2819 Marshall avenue, was elected as the Roca Club's Winter Sweetheart at the club's weekly meeting at the home of Greg Jones.

The Hayes girl, who is replacing the retiring sweetheart, Debbie Slesold, is a 16-year-old junior at Granite City high school.

She is active in advanced speech, Red Peppers and Tri-Hi-Y. She portrayed various roles in the sophomore class play, Junior Follies and the Homecoming play. Her hobbies include ice skating, tennis, horsebackriding, apparatus and sports cars. She is a member of the First Assembly of God Church.

She said that "Roca is a great young men's club that gives guys an opportunity to do more for themselves and the community." Her first major duty will be as hostess at the Roca Sweetheart banquet to be held early next year.

Score Winners

Ralph Thompson, club president, announced Score contest winners. They are Mike Loftus, senior division, and Tom Cardwell, junior division, each with 48 points. Each will receive a check for \$12.50 as awards for outstanding participation in the club contest.

The Roca Raiders basketball team nipped the Chargers in a

close 54-50 game. It was their second win in three games. High point makers were Tom Rushing 20, Ralph Thompson, 12, and Dave Evans, 10.

Coach Bob Allen announced that the next game will be against St. Margaret Mary's at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 7 in the Coolidge gym.

Honorary Member

Ken Townsend, who will be graduating in January, was made an honorary member for the rest of the 1969-70 term.

Townsend was cited for his excellent work as publicity chairman.

Secretary Brad Cross announced that the January work project will be a chicken dinner sale. The dinners will be delivered to homes.

Dave Anderson, past president and brother of Treasurer Earl Anderson, was a guest at the meeting. A member of the Coast Guard, he currently is on leave. He answered questions on various aspects of the armed services.

Talent Chairman Rich Diak reported on the successful completion of tryouts of the club's acts for the high school Student Council's first annual talent show on Jan. 8. Numbers to be performed are "My Mother, the Stripper," "Officer Krupke" and "The Baseball Game."

The Baseball Game's Music Director, Ron Matson and Choreographer Diane N. cheff announced that rehearsals

Study Course Offered In Mexico in Summer

The department of botany at Eastern Illinois University is offering a unique study program in Mexico next summer through the cooperation of Monterrey Tech, a fully accredited university.

The project includes a four-week preparatory session at Eastern (June 8-July 3) prior to six weeks at Monterrey (July 12-Aug. 20).

All instruction at Monterrey Tech will be in English. Field trips and excursions will be made to the desert, jungle and mountain regions of Mexico, in addition to classroom and laboratory activities.

Cost of the six weeks in Mexico will be \$390. This includes room, board, tuition, textbooks, laundry, swimming, medical service and bus trips. Students will be charged the regular rate for tuition and fees for the Eastern portion of the program.

Complete information may be obtained from Dr. William W. Scott, Head, Department of Botany, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, Ill. 61920.

should be scheduled as needed. Advisor: Earl Parsons distributed gifts to the club members before adjournment of the meeting.

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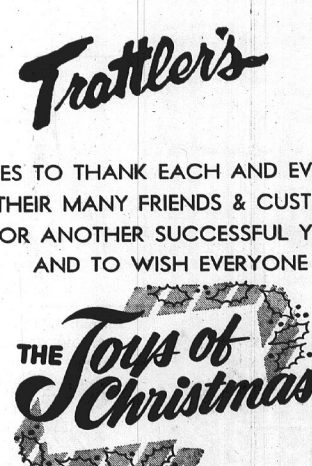
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Growth, Development in '69 Cited at SIU-SW

Establishment of a school of dental medicine, continued academic program expansion and another enrollment highlighted 1969 on the Southern Illinois University.

The dental school was established in April on recommendation of the Illinois Board of Higher Education. Dr. Frank J. Sobkowski was named dean of the school and temporary quarters have been established in five buildings on the Alton center campus until a permanent building can be erected at the main campus.

Selection of a faculty and development of the curriculum is progressing with the hope of enrolling the first dental students in September 1971.

New academic programs begun during the year emphasized graduate study and included the master of fine arts degree, master of arts or master of science in economics, master of business administration and master of arts in philosophy. A master's degree in speech was pending approval of the State Board of Higher Education as the year ended.

A graduate program in business administration began for military and civilian personnel of the Military Airlift Command at bases throughout the U. S. and overseas. Courses were being offered at bases in Illinois, California, Delaware, New Jersey, Oklahoma and Washington at year's end, with courses at bases in South Carolina and the Azores set to begin in March.

Earlier this month graduate courses in urban fields began in Washington, D. C., to provide on-the-job training opportunities for executives of federal, state and local public agencies dealing with city problems.

Independent Credit

In August the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools approved independent accreditation for the campus. Previous accreditation has been through the Carbondale campus. The association acted after a request for independent accreditation and after an on-campus inspection. The accreditation covers bachelor and master degree programs, plus the six-year educational specialist program.

The campus continued to make a name for itself as an academic innovator.

Ten Danforth foundation scholarships were awarded to students in the Experiment in Higher Education, a program

to assist educationally deprived. Foundation officials said the students were selected because they "showed promise of becoming effective leaders in accelerating community development and human reconciliation."

The program emphasizes enhancing learning potential rather than a simple "make-up" curriculum. In August the Ford foundation gave SIU-SW a \$99,986 grant to provide funds for 50 additional EHE students.

Research Grants

Dollar volume of research grants climbed to \$2,495,146. Among projects funded were the development of an educational program for institutionalized children, a technical assistance program in juvenile delinquency for 12 states, a study of cell organelles for the National Institute of Health and a work-study program in urban affairs.

The National Science Foundation funded in-service training institutes for secondary teachers and for supervisors of science and mathematics curricula.

Enrollment climbed to 12,152, an increase of 17% over the 1968 high. Total university enrollment, including Carbondale, reached 35,194. Local enrollment was drawn from 85 Illinois counties, 33 states in addition to Illinois and 14 foreign countries. Madison, St. Clair and Macoupin counties provided 75.6% of the total.

The experimental Deans college program for exceptional students enrolled 196, including 58 freshmen. Students in the Deans college must have a 4.5 grade point average on a 5-point scale to enter and may waive general studies requirements. They are allowed to take advanced courses whenever qualified.

Space Problems

The enrollment surge created severe space problems on the campus, with 1200 class sections to be accommodated in only

63 general classrooms. The pinch was intensified because no new classroom buildings were opened during the year. If the enrollment trend continues upward in 1970 the campus may, for the first time in its history, be forced to limit enrollment.

Student financial aid during the year topped \$2 million, with 80% of the aid going to students from Madison and St. Clair counties.

Construction projects completed during the year included the General Office building, \$3,655,858.57; a wing of the Science and Technology building, \$1,023,426.80; and a supporting services building, \$1,171,529.93. The 248-unit family housing project, totaling \$3,700,000, was nearing completion at year's end.

Last January the Federal Communications Commission approved a construction permit for the operation of a non-commercial frequency modulation radio station on the campus.

The radio transmission tower was erected in the fall and WSIE-FM is expected to be on the air next spring.

Faculty Credit

The faculty brought credit to itself through a substantial group of publications. Business Dean Kenneth Myers published a history of the Standard Rate and Data Service from 1919 to 1964. Famed dancer Katherine Dunham authored a book on her experiences in Haiti and was herself the subject of a biography.

Prof. Howard Davis wrote the first full-length study of Frank Parsons, the "father" of vocational guidance. On the lighter side, Norman Showers of the physical education faculty wrote an illustrated book on bowling.

Prof. James Kerr of the government faculty was awarded a Fulbright lectureship in India.

In September the university relinquished responsibility for



WHAT A DIFFERENCE a decade makes as 10 years ago the corn field above was the proposed site for the academic area of Southern Illinois University-Southwestern. Today the central mall, on the same site, has a plant value of \$38 million. In 1960 it was only \$295,000.

freshman and sophomore classes in East St. Louis to the new state-supported junior college. But involvement with the city continues through the manpower training center, EHE and the Katherine Dunham program in the performing arts.

The university's involvement in minority affairs was highlighted in March by publication of a report from the chancellor's office covering such areas as black faculty and staff recruitment, special educational programs, undergraduate en-

rollment and recruitment and the student work program. The campus, with a black enrollment of 9.1%, ranks first among major midwest universities.

Black Faculty Thirteen per cent of the faculty are also black. Eleven new black faculty members joined the staff during 1969.

While students were demonstrating elsewhere, SIU-SW students showed their concern for others less fortunate by contributing \$3600 in a one-week campaign to help pay for a kid-

ney transplant operation for an area high school girl.

During June the campus became the entertainment capital of the St. Louis metropolitan area with the opening of the Mississippi River Festival. Six weeks of concerts by the St. Louis Symphony and nationally known pop, rock and folk groups drew more than 65,000 people.

The festival was an artistic and cultural success, but lost money at the gate. As 1969 ended, trustees of the university

Tri-H-Y Club Holds Party for 25 Tots

Twenty-five needy children in the Quad-City area were entertained at a Christmas party this week given by the Sigma Rho Tri-H-Y Club at the YMCA, in a room decorated in a seasonal theme.

Children were from age one to 12 and their names were suggested by Catholic, Charities and Protestant Welfare.

Using a theme, "Christmas Approaching," the decorations were in red and white and the main table was centered with a paper mache figure of one of Santa's helpers standing on a box with two elves. A large Christmas tree was decorated by club members and held many candy canes later distributed with gifts to the youngsters.

Games were played and a magic act was performed by Rick Cardwell followed by the arrival of Santa, played by Jim Greenwald, both high school seniors.

Committee chairman for the party included Janet Wilson and Lorraine Ruff, decorations; Karen Kibort, food; and Debbie Portell, games. Also attending were club advisors, Mrs. Doris Blumenstock and Mrs. Norbert Lacke, and a guest, Mrs. John Kravack.

Teen Town to Feature 'Blue' Friday Night

The YMCA Teen Town will feature the "Blue" group at a dance from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Friday in the "Y" Gym. "Blue" attracted more than 400 teenagers when it last played at the "Y" for the Thanksgiving dance. All high school and college students are invited to attend.

"Purple Martin" is scheduled to play the following Friday, Jan. 2.

declined to underwrite any expense for a 1970 season.

In sports, the Cougars reached the first round of the Midwest National Collegiate Athletic Association soccer tournament, only to be defeated by St. Louis University, ending a streak of 21 games without a defeat. Wrestling and track were added to the inter-collegiate athletic program.

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Press-Record Youth Focus

SISPA Offers Program For Area High Schools

Less than half of high school graduates entering college have any idea what their major will be, and of those who think they know, many will later change their minds.

In southern Illinois, numerous teenagers still in school have been introduced to at least one professional field open to them by an organization for high school and junior college students which is headquartered at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale.

The Southern Illinois School Press Association found a "home" in the SIU journalism department in 1950. On a year-round basis the organization conducts an intensive program for school newspaper and yearbook staffs at several hundred schools in the state as well as in nearby areas of Missouri, Indiana and Kentucky.

SISPA services include consultation on newspaper and yearbook problems, publication of an informative monthly newsletter, a lending library of movies and filmstrips on many facets of newspaper, magazine and broadcast journalism, a speakers bureau staffed by professionals who are available for school functions, an annual contest with awards to encourage better school journalism and stimulate interest in journalism as a career, awards to faculty advisers, and the granting of up to four journalism scholarships to SIU each year.

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FFA, Farm Bureau to Meet Next Week at ISU

The U. S. manned space program—what's in it for farmers?

That will be the topic of Peter Reich, space and aviation editor of "Chicago Today," when he addresses the 1969 Farm Bureau — Future Farmers of America holiday conference at Illinois State University, Normal, Dec. 29-31.

Reich, the Dec. 30 banquet speaker, has covered the development of the U. S. space program for several years.

More than 250 FFA members, from high school chapters that have taken part in local FFA-Farm Bureau Acquaintance Day programs the past year, are slated to attend the three-day holiday conference sponsored by the Illinois Agricultural Association and affiliated companies.

hospital as they sang Christmas carols for the benefit of patients during this holiday season.

Six small children dressed as Candy Strippers, carrying Christmas baskets filled with remembrances for each patient, preceded the carolers.

Youngsters taking part in the program were Sue and Jason Randell, James and Polly Pineda, Joe Whaley and Kim Sonneberg. Committee chairman was Connie Edwards and her committee included Lynn Whaley, Rita Black, Beverly Francis, Nancy Pinney and Florence Tatosian.

Following the singing tour, the sisters gave a party for all participants in the Wiesman room, decorated in a holiday theme. Sister Mary Thomas, administrator of the hospital, presented each with a gift and was given a gift from the Candy Strippers by Charles Jackson, junior auxiliary president.

He then presented Mrs. Louise Sedlack, volunteer director, with a gift on behalf of the Candy Strippers. Refreshments were served to 70 volunteers.



CHRISTMAS CAROLERS at St. Elizabeth Hospital who presented each of the patients with a gift during the singing tour. They are left to right, front row—Sue Randell, Kim Sonneberg, Jason Randell, James Pineda, Joe Whaley and Polly Pineda. Back row—Beverly Francis, Connie Edwards, Florence Tatosian, Nancy Pinney, Lynn Whaley and Rita Black.

AIDING THEIR PASTOR. Rev. Rudolph Noel (left), with a special gift toward a 10-day revival trip to Jamaica with other ministers are two local servicemen brothers, Pvt. Clinton Whitford (center) and Pvt. Henry Whitford.

2 GC Brothers in Service Present Unique Yule Gift

Two local servicemen brothers home on holiday leave decided upon a special type Christmas gift this year to aid the pastor of their church.

The brothers, Pvt. Henry Whitford, 20, and Pvt. Clinton Whitford, 19, presented a cash gift to Rev. Rudolph Noel, pastor of the West 22nd Baptist Church, who will leave Dec. 29 for a 20-day revival trip to Jamaica.

The servicemen are sons of

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitford, 2810 West 22nd street, who will depart after the holidays for new assignments. They arrived from Fort Ord, Calif., where both had been stationed, and Pvt. Clinton (Brad) Whitford will be returning there.

His brother, Pvt. Henry (Ed) Whitford will go on to a new assignment at Aberdeen, Md.

Upon returning home, the brothers learned of Rev. Noel's hope to join other ministers in going to Jamaica for 10 days revival services and decided to help him with a cash Christmas gift.

The pastor said he will leave Lambert Airport at 9:10 a.m. next Monday for Miami, where about 50 ministers will meet for the flight to Jamaica, landing at Montego Bay.

Ten of the ministers will stay there, while the others will go to Kingston. All are to return in early January, with Rev. Noel scheduled to return to Lambert Field at 3:45 p.m. on Jan. 7.

Holiday Schedule at YMCA is Announced

The YMCA has announced its schedule of Christmas holiday youth and teenage activities.

The youth and teen lobby hours will be from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week.

The "Y" will be closed Christmas and New Year's days and on Sunday. Activities will include recreational swims, a pool tournament, open basketball and dances.

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Fire Chiefs Issue Reminder On Yule Tree Precautions

Local fire chiefs issued reminders today on fire safety precautions for Christmas trees and holiday decorations.

They recommend:
Keep the tree away from fireplaces, radiators and heaters. Place it in a water stand and water it daily.
Use only flameproof decorations.
Don't set up electric trains or similar equipment around or near the tree.
Check sockets and wires of tree lights to see that they are in good condition.

Place the tree so that its lights can be turned on and off from a switch located away from the tree.

Don't overload electrical outlets.

When putting up decorations and lights, use a balanced ladder—never a box, bench or chair.

Teach children the importance of observing these safety precautions.

Anniversary Scouting Fair Planned in May

Plans are progressing for a mammoth Boy Scout fair, "Scouting '70," to be held in May commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Cahokia Mound Boy Scout Council, Activities Chairman Charles Milhouser has announced.

Dr. Stanley F. Maer, organization and extension chairman, outlined a March to October program, "Magnificent 50," developed to obtain net membership gains of 285 scouts and 12 units.

Dr. Maer also reviewed plans for the annual council business meeting Jan. 22 and annual recognition banquet Feb. 7. Both 6:30 p.m. dinners will take place at SIU-SW.

The scout council will transfer Oscar award presentations from council to district banquets beginning in November 1970.

The Southwest Illinois Law Enforcement Commission today noted filing of an application by the city of Granite City for 1969 state and federal financing of a \$2200 police department community relations study.

If the proposal is approved, a consultant will consider the effectiveness of local community relations and possibly recommend establishment of a program to increase understanding and harmony between law enforcement personnel and areas in which tension may exist.

The Madison county sheriff's department is seeking \$5500 for in-service training of deputies and police on their role in the criminal justice system.

Marine Dennis Brown

With Newly-Formed Unit

Marine L/Cpl. Dennis J. Brown, son of Mrs. Harold Brown of 301 Filmaray Avenue, Venice, is serving with Company D of the Third Tank Battalion, a unit of the newly-formed Fifth Marine Expeditionary Brigade at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

The battalion provides heavy mobile artillery support for infantry units during combat operations and training exercises. The Fifth Marine Expeditionary Brigade and its subordinate units were activated during a parade and review Nov. 26 at Camp Pendleton.



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The ½-pound package, destined for a "Camp of Detention of U. S. Pilots captured in the Democratic Republic of Vietnam," as it is formally addressed, was mailed Friday in care of the Hanoi Post Office by Mrs. Sandra Innes, wife of Navy Lt. (jg) Roger B. Innes.

Lt. Innes, 23, a U. S. Navy flier, was reported missing in action in Vietnam two years ago next Saturday—Dec. 27, 1967. Ever since, his wife has waited for word that he is a prisoner-of-war.

A Radar Interception Officer (RIO) aboard a U.S. aircraft, Lt. Innes had arrived off the coast of Vietnam on a U. S. aircraft carrier just before his plane disappeared on an overland mission.

Specific Instructions
In preparing only the third package the local young woman has been permitted to send within the two-year period, specific instructions issued by Hanoi government had to be followed, Mrs. Innes explained.

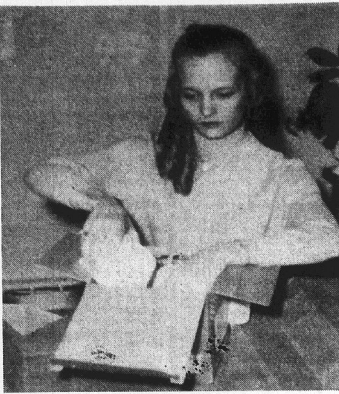
Only one parcel was allowed to be mailed to each individual serviceman at the address given previously. The package had to conform to the weight limit and size set by North Vietnam and its contents limited to non-perishable food products, personal articles and medication, also a required factor.

Following certain information provided, Navy wives, whose husbands are missing or POWs, by Lt. Friedman and Petty Officer Hegdahl, two Navy personnel released by the Vietnamese last summer, and after careful deliberation, weighing and reweighing the parcel, Mrs. Innes included:

Package Contents
Two boxes of stomachic acid relief tablets; two bars of soap; two boxes of throat lozenges; three snapshots; two boxes of aspirin compound tablets; two tubes of antiseptic medicated cream; one box of antiseptic powder; a tube of toothpaste; 200 vitamin tablets; foot powder; two pairs of socks; two chapsticks; and two sets of underwear.

The underwear was stressed by the released Navy men, who said only a single set of underclothes is provided of each prisoner.

Vice-Admiral Charles K. Duncan, Chief of Naval Personnel, in a letter to Mrs. Innes, dated Nov. 20, forwarded specific instructions on mailing procedure. He also noted the North Vietnamese had indicated that American prisoners would be allowed Christmas cards this year. Without further amplification, from North Vietnam however, the Admiral suggested



PACKED WITH LOVING CARE. Mrs. Sandra Innes, wife of Navy Lt. (jg) Roger B. Innes, missing-in-action in Vietnam since Dec. 27, 1967, prepares a ½-pound parcel for mailing to a detention camp for U. S. fliers, somewhere in North Vietnam.

ed only relatives send greetings to the prisoners-of-war.

In a related message from the Department of Defense, Mrs. Innes was informed of an apparent willingness by North Vietnam, through Radio Hanoi, to accept Christmas gifts sent to U. S. Servicemen held prisoner of war.

The Defense authorities noted that the regular exchange of letters, cards and packages is a requirement of the Geneva Convention and should not be limited to a few selected occasions, a practice followed by Hanoi.

All in Doubt
Because North Vietnam has repeatedly refused to identify the men whom they hold, husbands of wives, children and parents must mail gifts, not knowing whether their loved ones are alive to receive them.

The North Vietnamese permitted a similar mailing of packages last August, and no information has been received if the gifts were ever actually delivered to the men.

The Defense Department also noted that North Vietnam has made other promises regarding prisoner matters.

Recently, more than 20 wives and parents visited with the North Vietnamese delegation in Paris in an effort to learn the status of their loved ones.

At that time, the North Vietnamese promised to inform them, and hundreds of others who have written similar pleas. It has now been weeks since the first promises were made, and

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Work to Resume On SIU 'House' At Carbondale

Work will resume Jan. 5 on the \$550,000 Southern Illinois University house and guest facilities at Carbondale, with completion estimated at late July, 1970.

University President Delyte W. Morris has asked SIU accountants and lawyers to prepare all documents for sale of the site and the partially-completed building to the Southern Illinois University Foundation. The Foundation, armed with a million dollar stock gift from Chicago Philanthropist W. Clement Stone, will complete the building and make it available to SIU for its intended use as a residence for the president and official guests of the University.

Anthony Blass, director of the SIU physical plant, said crews could resume work the first Monday of the new year. Work was stopped Nov. 15 by order of the SIU board of trustees until the Foundation could implement Mr. Stone's million dollar bequest.

The SIU Foundation is a not-for-profit organization made up principally of alumni which provides scholarship, research and expansion funds for the University.

L/Cpl. Jerre Henke
Returns from Cruise
Marine L/Cpl. Jerre C. Henke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Henke of 1929 Beckwith avenue, returned to the Marine Corps Air Station, New River, Jacksonville, N.C., from a two-month Caribbean cruise aboard the USS Guam while serving with Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron-162.

The squadron participated in maintenance operations, simulated sea rescues and carrier procedures. A battalion of infantry from Camp Lejeune, N.C., joined them to conduct lengthy combat procedures, drills and landings.

The parcel is enroute to Hanoi and along with an estimated 1300 families, Mrs. Innes waits and hopes that her husband will get this most important package.

Two Servicemen Home
On Christmas Leave
Navy Aviation Boatswain's Mate Third Class Henry E. Clemons Jr., son of Henry Clemons Jr., of 2929 National avenue, is serving aboard the nuclear-powered aircraft carrier USS Enterprise at Newport News, Va.

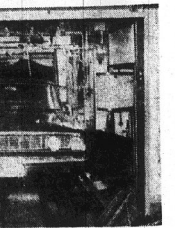
The Enterprise, the world's largest carrier, is currently undergoing maintenance repairs at Newport News. During this overhaul the ship's eight nuclear cores are being replaced. The new cores, the nuclear fuel, will last more than ten years.

Pvt. Dale, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sherman, reside at 608 Barkley street, Mitchell, recently completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. The fathers of both servicemen are active in Army Post 51. Wickham is immediate past post commander and Sherman currently holds the office of Post 51 historian.

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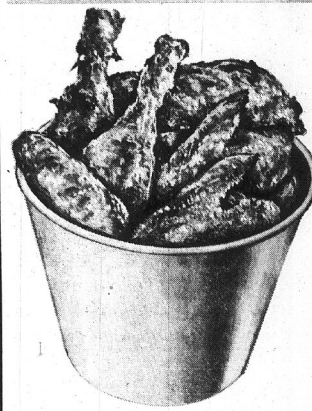
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Venice Man Shot in Attempted Burglary

Warrants charging attempted burglary were obtained this week against Gerald Wayne Copeland, 520 Third street, Venice, who was shot, and against a companion in connection with an incident at a farm home near Fostering Friday afternoon.

Copeland is a patient at Wood River Township Hospital with shrapnel wounds to the face and neck. The Madison county sheriff's office said his condition is not good. Taken into custody near the scene was Willie Fentress, Cottage Hills.

Copeland was shot by Earl Prager, a farmer, who spotted two men pull up in a station wagon to the nearby home of his sister. Prager told authorities that after he reached the front of the home, he saw the two men running from the rear and he fired one shot. He saw one man fall, then get up and stagger away. Copeland appeared at the hospital about a half hour later.

Entry to the house was gained by forcing the rear door. A window was broken in an attempt to escape. The station wagon was confiscated.

Larry Hecht Serving With Hurricane Hunters

Navy Structural Mechanic Third Class Larry A. Hecht, son of Mrs. Dorothy Jarrett of 2512 East 28th street and husband of the former Miss Patricia D. Bloodworth of 2545 North 28th street, is serving with Weather Reconnaissance Squadron Four at Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Fla.

The "Hurricane Hunters" of his squadron provide surveillance and year-round weather reconnaissance for the Atlantic Ocean, Caribbean Sea and Gulf of Mexico.

Private Services Tuesday For Stillborn Daughter

Private funeral services were conducted Tuesday morning for Tricia Ann Simpson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Dorothy) Simpson of 2961 Iowa street, who was stillborn at St. Luke's Hospital, St. Louis, on Sunday.

Other survivors include a seven-year-old sister, Tonya Simpson, a grandparent, Mr. and Mrs. George Brake of Granite City. Other details are given in today's obituary column.



DE MOLAYS PLAY SANTA for children hospitalized at the Shriners' Children's Hospital in St. Louis, by distributing toys, dolls and other gifts. Grouped in front of "The Golden Book," a plaque in the hospital hall, are left to right, seated—Steve Ebrecht, Dwayne Pritchett and Bill Kee. Standing—Hiram Abels, Raymond Hoffman, Steve Meador, Tim Noud, Carl Harrison, Leo G. Lipa, Ainaad Temple's Hospital Unit, Paul Boyer and Robert Ebrecht, advisor.

DeMolays Distribute Gifts At Shriners Hospital

Members of the James Stuart Chapter, Order of DeMolay, visited Shriners Children's Hospital in St. Louis this week to distribute toys and dolls to the young patients hospitalized there and were later taken on a tour of the hospital by Leo G. Lipa of Granite City, a member of Ainaad's Hospital Unit.

In addition to the toys each child was presented with a

Fire Damage \$6500 at Eagle Park Residence

Fire that originated near the furnace in the basement gutted the one-story, frame home occupied by Rosalie Harrison in Eagle Park Acres Monday afternoon.

Venice firemen, who received the alarm at 2 p.m., said the fire spread from the basement through the flooring and into the house, damaging all of the contents.

Damage to the contents was estimated at \$2500 and damage to the structure was estimated at \$4000. Firemen were at the scene for more than three hours. Cause of the blaze was not determined.

Coast Guard Chief Mann Stationed in Michigan

Coast Guard Chief Engineer Burl E. Mann, husband of the former Miss Martha L. Gourley of the 2000 block of Center street, and son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Mann of 1066 Bruene avenue, is serving aboard the Coast Guard Cutter Acacia homeported in Port Huron, Mich.

He assists other Acacia crewmembers in maintaining about 280 aids to navigation located from Detroit to just north of Alpena, Mich. The ship is currently working on its winter "buoy run". With the closing of the shipping season on the Great Lakes, the men of the Acacia remove most of the aids to navigation from the freezing water for winter maintenance.

Children Donate Gifts To Burned-Out Family

A Christmas gift basket of canned goods and candies was assembled this week by Cub Scouts of Pack 122, sponsored by Wilson School, expressly for the Jim Coffer family, whose home at 3119 Rodger avenue, was gutted by fire Dec. 2.

A second basket of food items was gathered by fourth grade youngsters in Mrs. Margaret Harlan Lyons class at Logan elementary school. Both gifts were channeled through the Salvation Army office to the Coffers, following telephone call to the Press-Record seeking the family's present address.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffer and their three young children, Jim Jr., four, Judith Marie, three, and Tammy, one, presently are residing at 1716 More avenue. The blaze almost totally destroyed their former home, causing \$12,500 damage. The family was left only with the clothes they were wearing at the time.

About 40 Cub Scouts in Pack 122 collected groceries for the Christmas basket. Cubmaster Joe Moutria reported. "The boys specifically wanted to help the burned-out couple and their youngsters," the pack leader said yesterday.

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WEDDING SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruder, 5350 Villa Maria, Hazelwood, Mo., entertained at their home Sunday with a luncheon and wedding shower honoring Marine Sgt. and Mrs. Harry Lyle "Bud" Jones, who arrived from Camp Pendleton, Calif., the previous morning.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones, 4716 Nameoki road, and Miss Debra Kay Hurt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Hurt of Riverside, Calif., were married Dec. 12 at the famous "Little Mission Chapel" at Riverside, Calif.

Those attending were the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jones, his grandmother, Mrs. Harry Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Uhles and daughter, Miss Judy Uhles, of Roxana, Mr. and Mrs. John Janini and Mr. and Mrs. John Janini Jr. and children of Collinsville, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montgomery and family of St. Charles, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard O'Neil, Mrs. Lois Weeks, Bill Hayes of Granite City and the Ruder children, Debra Kay and Charles Todd.

HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hicks and daughter, Jane Marie, of Champaign, are at home for the holidays visiting Mrs. Freda Hicks and family, 137 Voight place.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dunnavant and children of Camp Leavenworth, N. C., returned to their home Monday after spending a few days here visiting relatives.

ON LEAVE FROM ARMY

Pvt. Gerald L. Hall of Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., is home on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall. He will return to the Army base Jan. 4 to complete basic training. He enlisted in the Army and started basic training Dec. 5.

SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Lile Hartzel, 109 Cynthia lane, entertained Sunday with a party honoring their daughter, Shelle Hartzel, for her seventh birthday.

The young guests were taken to a theater by Mrs. Hartzel and then returned to the Hartzel home for refreshments.

Those present were Joan Schaefer, Tammy Millikin, Susan Rhoades, Cindi and Tami Palmer, Tracy and Jimmy Ellis, Karen Burke and the honoree's brother, Rod Hartzel. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Hartzel, Miss Mary Hartzel, Gary Hartzel, Miss Ruth Chronister and Mrs. Dale Spicer.

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Stolen Lost Recovered

Louis Wies, 241 Roosevelt street, Venice, who reported last week that \$200 worth of cutting torch equipment, hose and tanks were stolen from his yard, told Venice police Tuesday morning that the articles had been recovered for him by a man he met at a Venice salvage yard. Wies said the man told he believed he knew who had his equipment. The man later informed him he had located the articles and paid the man who had them \$35. Wies said he paid his informant the \$35 for recovering the articles.

Speeding Charges Filed

Speeding tickets were issued Monday to Lila M. Lair, Girard, at 22nd street and Madison avenue, and Roger W. Roentz, Grafton, at Nameoki road and Cottage avenue.

New Starter Possible For GCHS at Pontiac

The Warriors at 9 a.m. Monday will play the first game of the Pontiac holiday basketball tournament, meeting Deerfield. Coach Don Deterting is considering starting a 6-3 junior, Mike DeKuntz, for the first time to break this season's starting-five habit of Forwards Dave Melzer and Jeff Boyles, Center Tim Moore and Guards Steve Harris and Tim Schwendeman. All of the regular five are seniors. The GCHS coach is uncertain who may be bumped from a starting spot to make room for the junior. If DeKuntz starts, he will play the role of a center.

This would not mean that DeKuntz would necessarily jump center, but that his floor duties would be best described as those of a center.

During the Warriors' easy victory at Edwardsville, Deterting proved his playing ability. The coach says, "DeKuntz has good hands. He has a good sense of touch and has some moves that need to be smoothed out. But he handles it well."

Short Shots Not Connecting
Evaluating the Warriors so far this season, Deterting says a continuing problem of the team being unable to toss "rings" at four or five feet

from the basket; the team hits much better from 18 to 20 feet out.

He looks for the accuracy percentage to rise appreciably once the short shots begin to sink.

On the season, individual shooting percentages are: Melzer .475 for a 21.5 per game, Harris .370 for 4.0 per game, Boyles .400 for 10.3, Moore .450 for 9.6 and Schwendeman .450 for 8.1.

Discussing the low man on the scoring ladder, Coach Deterting notes, "Schwendeman doesn't have to score high to be effective for us." The coach points out Schwendeman's value as a maturing floor general and says he is the natural successor to act as the throttle for the team.

And Melzer does more than enough the high end of the scoring scale. "He's the best all-around ball player we've got. And good defensively. The boys would send the ball to him and he handles it well."

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High Rollers

MONDAY

Bowling Lanes

Early Birds

Thelma Pyles — 209, 323

Flowers League

Dorothy Berggren — 182, 506

Couples League

Delores Hoy — 186, 510

Harry Taylor — 235, 640

Annets Auxiliary

Billie Bosworth — 201, 520

TUESDAY

Bowling Lanes

Pin Spinners

Betty Hollis — 180

Nancy Tushnet — 468

Welcome Wagon

Jerry Dolles — 188, 400

Sharon DePoe — 214, 560

Aftersn Out

Rose Franko — 200, 537

GC Steel Hourly

Bob Kelly — 288

Joe Buzar — 604

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Andy Gerkins — 222, 573

Tuesday Mixed

Eula Touchette — 215, 531

Dutch DePoe — 214, 575

Bowling Lanes

Bette Summers — 186, 583

Tuesday Men's A

Ki Bayer — 256

Ed Reinhardt — 644

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coordinator J. M. Young of

Michigan U., from the Rose-

Bowl; Bill Franzen, the off-

ensive genius and originator of

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Rhodes Bowl; and Bernie

Ellender, the Pecan Bowl win-

ning coach from Arkansas

State.

The program will also include

Leland Kendall from the Air

Force Academy plus Dean

Rend, the Texas A-M football

coach of the year, from

Bellevue State high school.

Hosts and participants will be

the clinic's national directors,

Coach Charles E. "Bud" Wil-

kinson, formerly of Oklahoma,

and Coach Hugh "Buffy"

Dougherty of Michigan State.

\$10 Million Plan to Expand Supply of Gas

Mississippi River Transmission Corp., a natural gas pipeline company serving this metropolitan area, yesterday announced plans to expand more than \$10,000,000 on new facilities to increase the supply of natural gas by about 60,000 cubic feet per day.

Plans for the expansion program were outlined in an application filed with the Federal Power Commission in Washington by the pipeline company, seeking authority to increase its capacity and to grow new winter requirements for gas in the greater St. Louis area.

Laclede Gas and Illinois Power Co. have indicated the need for substantial additional volumes of firm gas next winter, and some increases are included for 16 other companies supplied by Transmission.

The project would be completed by 1970, according to R. V. Terry, company president.

\$55 Million Expanded
"This will bring to about \$55,000,000 the amount invested during 1963-1970 to meet expanding demands for natural gas," Terry said.

"We plan 60 miles of 26-inch diameter pipeline along our existing lines at 12 locations between Perryville, La., and Columbia, Ill."

"In addition, two compressor units will be moved from a point in East Texas, where they are not required, to our compressor station at Perryville, a major gas point from which gas is moved to St. Louis."

This is an important phase of our continuing expansion program on which we have spent approximately \$45,000,000 in the past two years to provide large supplies of gas to the area we serve," Terry commented.

The need to spend this additional \$10,000,000 for new facilities comes at a time of record high costs of money, and severe increases in all our costs.

"Competition for capital," he said, "means we have to compete for money in today's very tight financial situation not only for borrowed money, but for equity capital. How well we can compete for this kind of money, determines our ability to expand and bring additional gas here."

"Our ability to raise money, just as with any other company, depends upon having adequate earnings," Terry said.

"We now have on file with the Federal Power Commission an application for increased rates which we expect to receive the first such increase in more than five years. We are hopeful that this case can be concluded early in 1970."

The proposed expansion, together with presently available gas, will provide additional capacity equal to the indicated increases in firm gas requirements, for firms supplied by Transmission, totaling close to 60,000 cubic feet per day in the fall of 1970.

Storage Field Construction
About 45,000,000 per day was originally required for the current winter season, but is pending additional experience with Transmission's new underground storage field near its plant in northern Louisiana.

Construction of the storage field facilities was undertaken early in 1968, and represents an investment approaching \$20,000,000 in wells, lines, compressors and associated facilities.

Gas was started springing and withdrawals are being made this winter.

Performance to date has exceeded expectations, the company said, and the field is currently providing substantial volumes of gas on a daily basis.

All of the proposed expansion is along the company's newer second main line from northern Louisiana. It includes a dual line crossing of the Mississippi River north of St. Genevieve, Mo.

The program is a continuation of the major expansion program which was completed in 1968, when capacity of the system was increased by 100,000,000 cubic feet per day, at a cost of \$24,000,000.

Activity Study Emphasizes Hospital Need

As work progresses on construction of the new \$10 million annex to St. Elizabeth Hospital at Granite City, Madison and Venice, the study of the hospital's service activity and development over the last decade adds emphasis to the need of the new facility.

Sister Mary Thomas, hospital administrator, reported today. Originally launched in 1968 by the hospital's board of directors, the new hospital annex project was supplemented in May this year by a study of the hospital's activity and development over the last decade.

The project is scheduled for completion in 1971.

Extensive additional services have been added to the hospital during the past ten years, Sister Mary Thomas noted, which the projected census increase of the hospital's service area from 1960 to 1970 amounts to 20 to 25 percent.

A study done by Dr. Anthony J. Rourke, hospital consultant, who also points out that the hospital's primary service area provides 90.95 percent of the hospital's patients, essentially comprises Granite City, Madison and Venice, and the immediate surrounding environs.

Among new services added during the past ten years, the study shows are inhalation therapy, intensive and coronary care, physical therapy and Electroencephalogram. Others include management services, a recovery room for the operating room and obstetrics, materials management, a beauty shop, controller, development services, and volunteers and candystraps.

The Heart Clinic and "Well Baby" Clinic also have been added, and special prenatal and diabetic classes are conducted as a regular feature.

Statistics reveal that hospital operations generally have doubled during the ten year period from 1960 to 1970. Hospital admissions in 1969 in 1960 and increased steadily thereafter to 86% in 1968. For 1969 occupancy has figured 83.5%.

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\$20 Stolen from Store

Leaving the Rossmore Point store, 2108 Delmar avenue, unlocked when he left at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday, Arthur Roseman, proprietor, reported that on his return at 1:40 p.m. he found that \$20 was missing from a total of \$75 which had been left on a counter.

Obituaries

BRAVE, WILLIAM H., Hitz Memorial Home, Alhambra, Ill. Entered into rest about 3:30 a.m. today, Dec. 24, 1969. St. Joseph's Hospital, Highland.

Beloved husband of the late Amelia Brave; dear father of Robert Brave and Mrs. Lavine Brave; dear brother of Mrs. Emma Schoenbaum and Mrs. Tillie Bardmiller; dear grandfather of Mrs. Mary Ann Brave.

Funeral services 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 27, PLETT Funeral Home, 627 S. St. Louis street, Edwardsville

\$41,322 Sales Tax Income Helps City To Meet Payroll

Granite City council members were advised early in Monday night's council session that the city had received its September allocation of \$41,322 sales tax from the state, and later adopted a fund transfer resolution, taking \$70,700 from the sales tax reserve and placing amounts in four other funds.

Also on the financial end, the council approved a bill list totaling \$54,006, a half-month payroll of \$58,368 and half-month sick leave payments of \$10,862.

Of the \$70,700 transferred from sales tax, \$34,000 is to go to the fire department to meet payroll and other expenses, \$32,100 to the police department, \$1000 to the humane department and \$2700 to the school crossing guards account.

A second fund transfer resolution was approved, but it put \$4887 into the sales tax fund from the Civil Defense fund, reimbursing the city for the share of the cost for installation of alert warning sirens.

Referred to the Finance committee was a letter from the public library board, headed by Mrs. Henry Lueders, requesting the city to give consideration to allotting a share of state income tax funds to the public library when personal property taxes are eliminated.

The library board figures 10% of its income is from taxes on personal property.

Alderman Nomm argued, "The city needs every dime it can get, and the library board doesn't seek our permission when it gives pay raises or prepares a budget."

Alderman Moerlein, chairman of the Finance committee, pointed out he was familiar with operation of the library. "It is one of the finest and most efficient in the state. We have until 1971 to study this request and I think it's worthy of merit."

Moerlein added that for the committee to study the request does not constitute a pledge of funds. The motion carried by a vote of 9-0-6. Alderman Clyde Boyd was absent, due to illness.

New Switch Track

19th St. to be Barricaded For 10 Days at Miles Lab

Nineteenth street will be blocked off entirely during the holidays, starting Friday, to permit installation of a switch track at Union Division of Miles Laboratories.

The street will be barricaded for at least seven or eight days, but the contractor, Atlas Railroad Co., will open one lane whenever possible.

A spokesman for the firm appeared before the council Monday night. He said the work should be completed no later than Jan. 10. The spur track is needed to serve the plant facilities.

Barricades on Fehling Rd. An ordinance was adopted to barricade the west side of Fehling road in the 3200 block to halt damage to homes caused by the rough roadway resulting from a deep sewer repair excavation.

Also, the city is to ask Bi-State Transit System to reduce the speed of school buses in that area to 10 p.m. "That might pose a problem for the drivers," Alderman Green commented, "since there are no speedometers on the buses."

Police Chief Veizer, who said he has had four meetings with Bi-State Transit and school district officials, since the council

In addition to the bills, the council voted payment of \$3351 to the engineering firm of Shepard, Morgan & Schwab for work in aiding the city in making application and obtaining a grant of \$1,500,000 federal funds for the \$3,000,000 storm water sewer system. The firm first started work on the project funding in February 1966. The payment is to be made from the sewer grant and bond issue.

Major items on the bill list included \$4200 paid to City Atty. Leon Scroggins for preparing a model traffic ordinance, which half the amount to be reimbursed by the federal government, and a payment of \$15,040 to Milam Corp. East for trash and garbage pickup in December.

plains were received by the council last week, told council members he was certain the bus would cooperate to the best of its ability.

344 Buses, 1300 Students He said there are 44 buses carrying 1300 students to Coolidge junior high and senior high school in the morning and 32 in the afternoon. "At least 33 can be rerouted off Fehling road, but the added cost in time and mileage would be \$4125 for a 180-day school year."

Chief Veizer said recruiting the buses would cause traffic problems elsewhere — on Madison avenue at 30th street and on Nameoki road at the entrance to the front parking lot of the high school.

"Traffic is tied-up there now in the morning school hour rush, and you can imagine what would happen if we had 33 buses making left turns onto Madison avenue and off Nameoki road onto the parking lot," the chief added.

Alderman Basarich commented he did not favor special treatment for residents in that block — allowing the bus traffic with its problems to other neighborhoods.

Council members agreed that the speed rate reduction would

be requested and that barricades be set up, to limit two-way traffic to two lanes away from the houses.

Street Equipment Bids Bids for a new street sweeper and a new motor grader were opened Monday night and referred to the Street committee.

One bidder for both pieces of equipment was O. B. Avery Co., St. Louis, with prices of \$12,955 for the sweeper with a trade-in and \$24,587 for the grader, with terms net cash and delivery in 30 to 60 days.

The city received a letter from the state purchasing department stating it had no surplus grader to sell to the city, but would add the city to its mailing list for any cooperative purchases in the future.

Bids for extension of a sanitary sewer line in North Granite were opened and referred to the city engineer. The line was eliminated from the original project, but now homes are being built on the vacant lot.

A. H. Seebold Co. bid \$975; while G. H. Stenberg Co. submitted a figure of \$1920. The city had an estimate of \$350 to \$500.

Also opened were two bids for restoration of an electric line on Granite City Army Depot

grounds leading to the city pump station. The line was damaged in a storm last summer, and the cost of repairs, which had been estimated at \$12,000, is to be paid from a grant of federal funds to the city under the Civil Defense emergency disaster program.

The bids were — \$895 by R. Dron Electrical Co. and \$9340 by Rite Electric Co. Council members voted to award the contract to Dron.

Special Holiday Hours Set For Park Ice Rink

Special holiday hours at Wilson Park ice rink were announced today by Harold Brown, Granite City park district superintendent, who said a single session from 1 to 3:30 p.m. is scheduled today, Christmas Eve, with three general skating periods tomorrow and Friday.

The regular rink schedule will be followed Saturday and Sunday and resume again on Friday of next week, Jan. 2.

Brown explained: An outline of the complete schedule follows:

Wednesday, Dec. 24: General sessions — 1 to 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 25: General sessions — 1 to 3:30 p.m., 4 to 6:30 p.m., and 7 to 9:30 p.m. Friday, Dec. 26: General sessions — 1 to 3:30 p.m., 4 to 6:30 p.m., and 7 to 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 27: General sessions — 7:30 to 9:30 a.m., 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., 1 to 3:30 p.m., 4 to 6:30 p.m., and 7 to 9:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 28: General sessions — 1 to 3:30 p.m., 3:30 to 6 p.m., 6 to 8:30 p.m., and 8:30 to 11 p.m. (Adults only). Monday through Thursday, Dec. 29-Jan. 1: General sessions — 1 to 3:30 p.m., 4 to 6:30 p.m., and 7 to 9:30 p.m.

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Bronze Star, Air Medals For Sgt. Ronald Fisher

Army Sgt. Ronald C. Fisher, 21, was presented with the Bronze Star for meritorious service from January 1969 to January 1970, while serving with the First Air Cavalry Division (Airmobile) in the Saigon area, Vietnam.

The citation read, "He consistently manifested exemplary professionalism and initiative in obtaining outstanding results. His rapid assessment and solution of numerous problems inherent in a combat environment greatly enhanced the allied effectiveness against a determined and aggressive enemy. Despite many adversities, he invariably performed his duties in a resolute and efficient manner."

Sgt. Fisher is married to the former Nina Webb, who is employed in the Granite City office of Prudential Insurance Co. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Fisher, reside at 1529 Johnson road.

The local serviceman received the Air Medal for participating in 25 aerial missions over hostile territory in support of operations during January to April 1969.

He entered the service on Aug. 16, 1968 and was sent to Vietnam in January of 1969, and was promoted to his present rank in September of this year.

Sgt. Fisher and his wife spent seven days in Honolulu, Hawaii,

in September, while he was on an R & R leave. He is expected home in late January.

Music Society Meet Dec. 27-29

Hosting the 35th annual meeting of the American Musicology Society in St. Louis, Dec. 27-29, will be SIU-SW Washington University. Co-chairmen of the national conference at Stouffer's Riverfront Inn are Edwin B. Warren of SIU-SW and Lincoln B. Spiess of Washington University.

Prof. Warren said, "We expect to attract over 1000 people at the three-day conference."

"In addition to the daily topical work sessions, three exhibitions and a book display have been arranged. The book display will be in Stouffer's Riverfront Inn and exhibits also will be in the Rare Book room of Olin library at Washington University, at the SIU-SW Love library and the Vatican Microfilm library at St. Louis University.

Highlight of the conference warren said, will be the annual dinner at 6:30 Sunday, Dec. 28, in the Grand Ballroom Center, followed by a program of American songs written from 1861 to 1920 and sung by baritone Prof. Dale Moore, head of SIU-SW's voice faculty accompanied by Clayton Henderson, formerly a member of the music staff at SIU.

B. J. Hunter Attends UN Briefing Sessions

B. J. Hunter, vice-president of Union Division of Miles Laboratories Inc., at the invitation of Ambassador Charles W. Yost, attended a day-long briefing for community leaders on the role of the United States in the United Nations, recently.

This meeting was sponsored by the Foreign Policy Association in cooperation with the U. S. Mission to the U. N.

The briefing was conducted by senior officials of the United States Mission to the United Nations, and included discussions of issues currently being considered by the 24th General Assembly. Participants in the program also attended a session of the U. N. General Assembly as guests of the United States Delegation.

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HOLIDAY PARTY FOR BROWNIE TROOP 188

Brownie Troop 188, sponsored by the Webster PTA held a Christmas party Monday afternoon in the home of the leader, Mrs. Barbara Blackburn, 2609 Edwards street, with Mrs. Millie Hand assisting. The scouts drew names for a gift exchange and presented the leaders with gifts. During the festivities, Christmas music was played in the background and Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. Hand presented each Brownie with a gift.

A Yuletide theme was carried out. A silver tray holding a floating candle surrounded by miniature snowmen served as the centerpiece. Snowman favors, which had been purchased by Hand and her daughter, Sally. Refreshments of popcorn, cookies and punch were served to Connie Blackburn, Donni Conway, Sherrill De Pew, Mary Felker, Sally Hand, Robin Barnes, Lori Nemeth, Mary Ann Johnson, Marilyn Borer, Laura Hall, Julia Ponder Lisa Thompson, Nancy Watkins, Geneva Williams, Toni Young and a guest, Stephanie Blackburn.

Standing in a friendship circle, the girls sang "Silent Night" to conclude the year's activities.

CADETTE CHRISTMAS PARTY AT BARTON HOME

Neighborhood Troop District Four, Cadette Girl Scout Troop 234 met at the home of the leader, Mrs. Margaret Barton, 2310 West 24th street, Monday evening for a Christmas party and gift exchange. Prize winners were: Special hour were Patti Parison, "pin the beard on Santa," and Kathy Justice, "candy in the jar" contest. Charlene Bennett also won a prize. A gift exchange was held and the remainder of the evening was spent singing Christmas carols.

The hostess used a traditional Yule theme with holly and greenery. At each place setting was a pinecone favor, and refreshments were served to the winners and the hostess, Theresa Basdin, Bonita Davis, Janet Gafford, Carol Kildebrandt, Carolyn Kildebrandt, Theresa Hancock, Terri Jones, Marcelina Robertson, Anita Wilson and Karen Zimmermann.

HOME FOR HOLIDAYS FROM GEORGIA BASE

Pvt. Phyllis Stotz, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman O. Stotz, 2571 Hodges Avenue, was guest of honor at a family dinner held in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Winnie Stotz of Mascoutah, Ill., Sunday evening. The girls who arrived home earlier in the day to spend the holiday with her friends and relatives.

Prior to her enlistment, she attended local elementary schools and was a 1969 graduate of Granite City high school. She recently completed an eight-week basic training course in Fort McClellan, Ala., and has been attending classes in Fort Gordon for a communications specialist training.

On Monday, she spent the day visiting her former teachers at Webster school and GCHS and also visiting her parents and Mr. and Mrs. Stotz at the local recruiting station. The sergeants were instrumental in Pvt. Stotz's enlistment. She is a member of this year. She will return to Georgia Jan. 3.

SANTA VISITS CLASSES

The morning and afternoon kindergarten classes of Webster school were greeted by Santa Claus during a Christmas party and gift exchange Tuesday. Mrs. Laura Mosley is the teacher.

Mrs. Mosley was assisted by several of the room mothers, Mrs. Mae Lee, Mrs. Barbara Schwertmann, Mrs. Wilma Andrews, Mrs. Jan Ballard, Mrs. Carl Fansler, Mrs. Donna Jones and Mrs. Doris Stotz.

The students decorated a tree with paper mache candles, angels and bells that they had made last week. The windows and walls were decorated with colorful Yule cutouts and each child made a mobile Christmas gift for their parents.

The children exchanged gifts and presented their teacher with a gift for her parents. The children exchanged gifts and presented their teacher with a gift for her parents. The children exchanged gifts and presented their teacher with a gift for her parents.

Refreshments of cupcakes, cookies and ice cream were served to Angela Adams, Tammy Adams, Phyllis Andrews, Mrs. Margaret Ballard, Glenn Bennett, Sherry Bucks, Vicki Carmack, Donni Conway, Val Dickerson, Carla Fansler, Lance and Vincent Hutchinson, Natalie Jenkins, Jimmy Jones, Joseph Kalpis, Hope Lee, John Lingle. Cheryl and Erin McKeehan, Alan Melancon, Kathleen Miller, Thomas Miller, Robert Mil-

28 Traffic Accidents Occur on Icy GC Streets

Twenty-eight traffic accidents, precipitated by heavy snow this week, occurred on Granite City streets Monday and Tuesday, but only three persons were injured.

Michael E. Sparks, 18, of 2320 Lynch Avenue, and a passenger in his auto, Cidney Ward, 16, of 2472 Waterman Avenue, were hurt when a car skidded into a tree at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday at 2143 Waterman.

They were taken to St. Elizabeth Hospital. The girl had injuries to the forehead requiring 10 sutures, and x-rays were taken of the skull, spine and face. Sparks had contusions to the head, which struck the windshield. X-rays were taken of the skull and spine.

Charles E. Moulton, 42, of 1940 Joy Avenue, complained of pain after the left side of his auto was struck by another driven by John Keesterson, 158 St. Clair Avenue, at 10:05 p.m. Tuesday at 3309 Johnson Road.

A hit-and-run driver struck the left front of the auto of Deloy Zwick, 44 Terrell Avenue, between noon and 3 p.m. Tuesday while it was parked on the Rose Bowl restaurant.

An auto driven by Karen S. Vincent, Collinsville, hit the rear of a car driven by Dean A. Kroenke, Belleville, at 11 p.m. Tuesday at 23rd street and Washington Avenue.

Going south on 23rd street, an auto driven by Alice Cole, 2909 Cayuga street, struck the rear of the auto of Harold J. Thiel, 1965 Spruce street, parked near his home.

As an auto driven by Bruce Bledsoe, 1527 Clark street, braked at the curve at 3300 Fehling road, it was struck from behind by another driven by Michael A. Tharp, 2355 Zippel Avenue, at 9:10 p.m. Tuesday.

A hit-and-run driver struck the rear of the parked auto of William McMurtree, 3206 Colgate place, at 9 p.m. Tuesday in the 2700 block of Washington Avenue.

An auto driven by Mary L. Ross, 4023 Rose Avenue, skidded into a utility pole at 6:10 p.m. Tuesday at 3400 Franklin Avenue.

With brakes applied, an auto driven by Virdeen A. Cahill, 3000 Buxton Avenue, skidded into the left side of a car driven by Loren Worthen, 2208 Cardinal Avenue, at 4:50 p.m. Tuesday at 2205 Terminal Avenue.

A glazed street caused the auto of David L. Graves, Springfield, to skid into the rear of a pickup truck driven by John W. Overton, Collinsville, at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at 24th street and Edwards street.

Two accidents occurred at 4:15 p.m. Tuesday at 24th street and Lee Avenue as drivers made stops on ice and were struck from behind. The auto of Calch D. Zim, 2835 East 23rd street, was struck by one driven by Charles A. Weber, 9 Westgate drive, and a pickup truck driven by W. Eugene Schoer, 304 East Chain of Rocks road, hit East Chain of Rocks road, 304 East Chain of Rocks road.

While attempting to drive to the curb, a school bus operated by John R. Williams, 221 Dale Avenue, struck the parked car of Joseph P. Szewla, 1709 Fifth Avenue.

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street, Madison, at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at 21st street and Delmar Avenue.

As two autos skidded, one driven by Douglas E. Winter of 19 Miami court, was struck by another driven by William J. McGinnis, Potomac, Mo., at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at the rear of 4304 Nameoki road.

A taxicab driven by Henry G. Beavers, 1205 St. Paul Avenue, skidded into the rear of the auto of Garland E. Mills, who had stopped at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Edwards street and Nameoki roads.

The right side of an auto driven by Andrew Gasparovic, 2150 Edison Avenue, was struck by a truck driven by Emmanuel Nelson, 1226 Calhoun street, Venice, at 1:40 p.m. Tuesday at 23rd street and Nameoki roads.

Losing control on a turn, an auto driven by Melvin Griffin, 118 West 24th street, skidded into a tree at 2832 Michigan Avenue. Griffin was charged with driving without a license.

Unable to stop in time, an auto driven by Stanley W. Miller, 2150 Delmar Avenue, slid into the rear of the parked auto of Deloy Zwick, 44 Terrell Avenue, at 9:50 a.m. Tuesday at 2147 Delmar.

Skidding on snow, an auto driven by John Foster, 2909 Glen drive, ran over the curb and knocked down several feet of hedge in the yard of Charles Crowder, 3104 Edgewood drive, at 8:15 a.m. Tuesday.

Going south on 23rd street, an auto driven by Alice Cole, 2909 Cayuga street, struck the rear of the auto of Harold J. Thiel, 1965 Spruce street, parked near his home.

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MRS. HARRIET LOVINS
2332 O'Hare Avenue
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TENTH BIRTHDAY PARTY

CELEBRATED BY CINDY SMITH
The tenth birthday of Cindy Smith was celebrated Sunday afternoon at a party given by her parents, Mrs. and Mr. William R. Smith, 3233 Davis Avenue. Mrs. Smith was assisted by Miss Karen Robertson, a cousin.

Games were played and prizes were awarded to Linda Crawford, Joyce Abbott and Leisa Tervasi. A Christmas motif was used for the party decorations and refreshments.

Attending in addition to the prize winners were Karen Gafford, Lisa Smith, Becky Reeder, Lucy Hoyt, Gail Morgan, Kayla Long, Leslie Moore, Michele Johnson, Robin Robertson, Christy Haynes and Donna Small.

PROGRAM BY EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Emmanuel Baptist Church presented a Sunday school Christmas program in conjunction with the Sunday evening worship service this week. Ronald Weiss, Sunday school superintendent, was in charge of the program.

Participating were the Primary Department, Mrs. Estella Lewis, and the Junior Choir, under the direction of Kenneth Carr, gave a play, "The Shoemaker's Dream," Mrs. Elsie Hooper, director of the Castles of the Primary Department's presentation.

Miss Marilyn Stagner played an organ solo, and a duet was presented by Miss Sheila Lewis and Miss Margaret and Mike Harper, marimba.

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Appoint Smith

Blanton service station, and from George Mofsky, operator of the Thrifty market, commending the fire department for containing a fire above his grocery store.

A reciprocal agreement for fire protection between the city and the Granite City Army Depot was renewed.

More About

Frank Grady
Elmer, James and Bill Grady, all of Granite City; two sisters, Mrs. Kenneth (Ruby) Anderson of Granite City and Mrs. Ray- mond (Clevon) Johnson of Madison; and eight grandchildren. Arrangements are given in today's obituary column.

Stearns is an Army medic stationed at Fort Carson. He is to be discharged in August after spending five years with the armed forces.

He is a graduate of Granite City high school and enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1964, a veteran, having spent two years in that country. Upon his discharge, he will bring his family to Granite City to make their home.

While in Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stearns took their grandchildren to visit the North Pole, a local Santa Claus land, and they also toured the Royal Gorge.

HUTSONS RETURN FROM WEDDING TRIP
Mr. and Mrs. John Clark Hutson III have returned home after a brief wedding trip. The couple was married Dec. 20 at Trinity Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. Clair Clark. Bill Rutledge and Miss Ellice Pierce were the attendants.

The bride is the former Bonnie Jane Ivey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ivey, 2550 Hodges Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey entertained relatives and friends at a reception held in their home.

Hutson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hutson, 2912 Sunset drive. The bride and groom are both 1969 graduates of Granite City high school. She is employed in St. Louis, and he is a student at the Rankin Trade School. The newlyweds are making their home with his parents.

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Bend Road News

MRS. GEORGIA BORGER
877-2765

Mr. and Mrs. Don Crider and daughter, Sharon, 2328 Orville Avenue, returned home Sunday evening from a weekend visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Schulz and daughter, Cathy, of Olney, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hotz and son, Corky, of Dow, Ill., visited on Sunday with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hild of Bend Road.

47TH ANNIVERSARY
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Straton and children, Ray Jr., Gwen, Greg, Matt and Joanne, 2815 Pershing Avenue, motorcade to Patterson, Ill., Sunday and spent the day visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles David Thompson.

Mrs. Straton presented her parents with a bell cake decorated in a Christmas theme in honor of the Thomasons' 47th wedding anniversary, which they had celebrated on Dec. 17. The Thomasons are former residents of the Quad-City area.

Peggy Miller of East 24th street was released from St. Elizabeth Hospital on Sunday and is convalescing at home.

HONOR BETH ANN HERBST ON HER SIXTH BIRTHDAY
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herbst, 3213 Wishire drive, held a party in honor of the sixth birthday of their daughter Beth Ann.

Those attending were her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hogan and son, Robert; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herbst, and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Hogan and children, Tommy, Patrick and Erin; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sollberger and children, Dennis, Jackie and Paul, and Mr. and Mrs. John Barham and Tracy. A "Snoopy" theme was used in the decorations, cake and napkins. The table was candlelit.

Ice cream and other refreshments were served. During the evening, Christmas carols and a Peace Lutheran Church on Stratford lane came by, singing Christmas carols, and stopped to sing the birthday song.

The honoree was presented with gifts.

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Arlington Heights News

MRS. FAYE HESTER
64 Karen Drive
831-2415

SANTA AT ARLINGTON HEIGHTS YULE PARTY

On Monday evening at the Arlington golf club approximately 50 children and their parents gathered for a Christmas party, sponsored annually by the Arlington Heights Civic Association.

Christmas carols were sung by the group, led by Mrs. June Thompson, assisted by Lisa Ybarra and a Shelly Pohlman, and accompanied on the ukulele by Ray Grisham, after which the Bob Kramer marionettes entertained the children.

Santa Claus made an appearance under the puppet show, his bag loaded with toys for each child.

He also presented the children with favors furnished by a local businessman. After Santa's departure, refreshments of Christmas cookies, punch and coffee were served by the social activities committee, Mrs. Faye Mercer, Mrs. Elsie Lanterman, Mrs. Judy Robertson, Mrs. June Thompson and Mrs. Charlene Miller.

The committee was headed by James Pohlman.

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Pensonsue is Patient At Local Hospital

Ray "Butch" Pensonsue of 1643 Delmar Avenue, is in the intensive care unit of St. Elizabeth Hospital after suffering a heart attack at his home last Friday.

He was stricken with a heart attack in November and was hospitalized for one month returning home just two days when he experienced the second attack.

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Lengthy Hearing Predicted On Water Co. Rate Boost

Lengthy proceedings in the bid for a 47% rate increase by East St. Louis & Interurban Water Co. were predicted Monday night by Granite City Atty. Leon Scroggins, who presented a report to the council on last week's hearings in Springfield.

Scroggins said testimony was taken from two to eight witnesses during the hearings conducted Thursday and Friday by the Illinois Commerce Commission.

"I don't believe it will take the 19 days required the last time the water company sought a rate increase, but the hearings will continue Jan. 7, 8 and 9, and I think it is to the city's advantage for me to attend, since I was the only city attorney asking questions of the witnesses," Scroggins told the council.

Seeks Added Pay

He asked for added compensation, since the days at the hearings take him away from his private office and also away from the city work.

Nonn remarked he saw no reason for added compensation. "We're paying the city attorney \$12,000 a year and \$600 to the assistant city attorney. With that amount and a little more,

we could hire a full-time attorney who would have an office in the city hall."

The alderman suggested the city attorney work out an arrangement with the assistant city attorney in handling other city business on the hearing dates.

Scroggins was paid \$150 for expenses during the hearings last week.

In a letter to the council, Scroggins said raising of fire damaged buildings in the city will have to be handled solely by the city without aid from the state fire marshal's office.

Regular Condemnation

"We'll follow regular condemnation procedures through the courts and under existing city laws and in addition must obtain title opinions on the property to carry out a new regulation requiring all lien holders to be notified." The city has been condemning such property and contracting for the razing with a lien placed against the property for the razing cost.

A suggestion was made that nuisance charges be filed against the property owner every week to get results.

Alderman Parmenter presented a form to the council in answer

to complaints on the "Band Wagon" being "thrown out here" by the Metro East Journal.

Parmenter said the forms can be signed by Granite City residents not wanting the publication thrown in their yards and that the city will turn them over to the firm's circulation department. The forms are to be available at the city clerk's office and other offices in the city by mail.

Other aldermen voiced complaints that as many as four or five papers were thrown in an individual yard and others into the street, clogging sewers.

Zone Change Petition

Referred to the City Plan Commission was a petition by Donald Adams for a lot at 3732 Namekiki road at Manley avenue to be rezoned for B-1 business from the present special use permit.

Approved by the council was a resolution for installation of 74 street lights, including 39 to be placed in alleys. The added lights will cost the city \$114 a month.

Referred to the city attorney were a note concerning property owned by Grace Wetherholt, 2033 Benton street in a sidewalk fall on

June 16 in the 2400 block of Grand avenue, and of a hearing at 8 a.m. Jan. 15 in the Labor Temple before the state Industrial Commission for compensation for Mrs. Hazel Murphy, widow of the late Fire Capt. James Murphy.

Placed on file was an opinion from City Atty. Scroggins that the Aetna Insurance Co. could require physical examinations for school crossing guards who are hired each year. Alderman Robertson said i.d. examinations are not required for temporary employees hired in other city departments and that the company's requirement is not consistent.

In reply to a letter from the Jaycees, council members agreed they would nominate candidates for the Jaycees Disfranchisement Award. No names were mentioned.

The council meeting opened with a complaint against a beauty shop in a residential area in the 2900 block of Dale avenue. The shop, operated by Mrs. George Taylor, has no city permit for special use. Instructions were given for a permit application to be made and for the parties involved in the property dispute to see lawyers rather than the city council.



By Press-Record Staff Photographers

CHRISTMAS TIME WINNERS of a colored television are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Andrews of 2412 Center street, in a contest at State Radio and Television store. Louis Paschoff, store owner, made the presentation on Monday and to another winner, Philip Heath of 2320 St. Bernard avenue, who won a dishwasher.

49 Honored at GC Steel For 25 Years Service

Forty-nine long-service employees of Granite City Steel Co. have been honored for completing 25 years of continuous service at a recent gathering at which Nicholas P. Veeder, board chairman and chief executive officer, presented the workers with wrist watches, it was announced this week.

The group of individuals who completed a quarter-century of service during 1969, included 44 men and five women. Veeder praised the employees for their loyal service since world war II which was in progress when they were hired in 1944. Refreshments were served before and after the watch presentations.

Those completing 25 years of service included:

Clarence Anderson, Alma Bogovich, Ralph Bradford, Olive Bucky, Everett Burris, John Daugherty, Walter Eddie

man, Bob Edmonds, Troy Elkins, William Elledge, Howard Ezell, Ed Gieselman, Warren Gruggett.

John Hargis, King Hines, Clarence Hoffman, Sid Holder, Judith Hornsby, Delbert Hult, Johnnie Jackson Jr., John Johnson, Hubert Joyce, Val Keith, Mary Kristian, James Lindsay, Al Lukas, Errol Mayes, Melvin McKay, Louie Mehl, Johnnie Milam, Jack Mon-tana, Ora Moss.

Bill Niesieur sr., Clifton Par-terson, Clarence Reese, Marvin Rising, Lola Robinson, Clay Rush, Don Sanders, Earl Schil-ber, Raymond Smart, Paul Smith, Enos Spegal, Andy Staj-dahar, Everett Stark Jr., Leo Stroyek, Joseph Varady, Otto Willaredt and Pete Wilson.

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Theater Study Tour In Europe Planned

Courses in theater history will be conducted during the summer in Europe for students by Stephen Archer of Southern Illinois University-Southwestern.

The group will leave June 23 and return in late August. Total cost for nine weeks is \$865, including transportation, hotel and breakfast and theater tickets. Tuition and book rental will depend on the number of courses taken.

Two weeks each will be spent in London, Paris, Rome and Athens, with several side trips from each city. The last week will be spent in independent travel.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Allen Are Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen of 3402 Franklin avenue, are announcing the birth of their first child, a daughter, Sunday night at St. Elizabeth Hospital. The new arrival has been named Beth Ann and weighed seven pounds.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen both of Granite City. Mrs. Allen will be remembered as the former Miss Judith Lotus and formerly taught in the Edwardsville school system. Mr. Allen is employed as an art instructor in the Collinsville schools.

Jaycees Seek Nominations For Annual DSA-OYE Awards

The Granite City Jaycees are seeking candidates for the Distinguished Service Award and Outstanding Young Educator Award which they present in January as their annual awards.

The candidates' qualifications will be judged by a panel of local citizens who are now over the age of 35 years.

Bernasco stressed that nominees need not be a member of the Jaycees or the organization contributing the candidate's name.

To be eligible for the DSA Award, a young man must be between the ages of 21 and 35; must either reside or work in the Quad-Cities; and be a U. S. citizen.

Eligibility requirements for Outstanding Young Educator Award candidates are the same, with the exception that nominees will be judged by a panel of young women teachers may be nominated.

New Medical Library Being Formed by SIU

A building in Springfield will be leased in the near future to house a medical library for Southern Illinois University's emerging medical school, according to Ralph E. McCoy, director of libraries.

The collection to be developed for the medical school without "walls" will be as unconventional and innovative as the school itself, McCoy said, providing not only books and medical journals but a wide variety of tapes and automated equipment for self-instruction.

Ann Howard, assistant science librarian at the Carbondale campus, who has been concentrating the past 10 months on building up the campus library's science division resources to support pre-medical and the first year of medical studies, has been assigned to develop the Springfield medical collection.

Students entering the medical school will spend the first year on the Carbondale campus, then go to Springfield for their clinical work in cooperation with Springfield hospitals.

Dr. Richard H. Moy, director of the student out-patient clinic at Billings Hospital, University of Chicago Medical School, has been named dean of the SIU Medical School, to assume his duties Jan. 1. He will spend his first year and a half securing a medical faculty and developing the curriculum. The school is scheduled to open in the fall of 1972.

Assigned in Vietnam Army Pfc Monty V. Rapp, 20, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royal M. Rapp, and wife, Geraldine, live on Rural Route Two has been assigned to the 4th Infantry Division near Pleiku, Vietnam, as a rifleman.



PRICE REDUCTIONS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

Sofas & Living Room		REG.	SALE
92" Quilted Floral Bryolith Scotchgard Fabric		\$404.00	\$249.00
92" Traditional Bryolith Sofa - Quilted Linen Print Loose Cushion Back - Scotchgard		\$454.00	\$299.00
International Modern Vetro Covered Sofa and 2 Chairs		\$520.00	\$399.95
Mediterranean Sofa and Matching Chester Wood Arms - Russet Tapestry		\$297.50	\$225.00
97" 4 Cushion International Sofa - Green Quilted - Scotchgard		\$275.00	\$229.00

CHAIRS:		REG.	SALE
Modern Living Room Club Chair - Brown Tweed		\$59.95	\$39.95
Hi-Back Embossed Vinyl Swivel Rocker		\$69.50	\$49.50
Traditional Swivel Rocker - Green, Gold or Carrot		\$59.95	\$49.95
Traditional Swivel Rocker - Orange Tweed		\$91.80	\$69.95
Modern Mr. & Mrs. Chair Set #215		\$169.95	Set
Low Back Swivel Rocker with Walnut Arms		\$39.95	\$31.95
Hi-Back Danish Modern Chair - Vinyl Persimmon		\$59.95	\$49.95
Hi-Back Brown Nylon Fireside Chair - Zippered Foam Cushion		\$109.95	\$79.95

TABLES:		REG.	SALE
Modern Walnut Round Lamp Table		\$51.00	\$39.95
Octagon Commodes - Mediterranean, Modern or Traditional		\$74.95	\$59.95
Mediterranean Fruitwood Cocktail Table		\$49.95	\$39.95
Lane Solid Oak Mediterranean Cocktail Table		\$49.95	\$39.95
Matching End Table with Drawer		\$64.95	\$54.95
Octagon Commode with Doors		\$109.95	\$89.95
Set of 3 Mahogany Tables - 2 Steps or 1 Cocktail		\$199.95	Set of 3
Plastic Top Round Walnut Lamp Table		\$24.95	\$19.95
Octagon To Match		\$24.95	\$19.95
Formica Top Laminated Walnut End Table		\$34.95	\$24.95
Matching Step-Tables		\$34.95	\$24.95

BEDROOMS:		REG.	SALE
68" Triple Dresser 9 Drawer, 5 Drawer Chest, Footless Bed - Modern Pecan		\$469.50	\$379.50
70" Modern Walnut Triple Dresser, 4 Drawer Chest and Panel Bed		\$312.95	\$262.95
49" Modern Walnut Finish Double Dresser, Mirror, Chest and Bookcase Bed		\$129.95	\$99.95
60" Modern Bassett Walnut Triple Dresser, Chest and Panel Bed		\$289.95	\$239.95
58 1/2" Double Dresser, Carved Effect Drawer Fronts, Westinghouse Micarta Tops, with 4 Drawer Chest, Panel Bed and Night Stand		\$369.50	\$299.00

DINETTES:		REG.	SALE
Avocado Dinette Table with 6 High-back Chairs		\$119.95	\$89.95
42" Round Pedestal Table and 4 Swivel Chairs - Cast Aluminum Bases - Daystrom		\$189.95	\$159.95
Extra Large Table - 40 x 80 with 8 Chairs		\$169.95	\$139.95
Daystrom China Cabinet - All Plastic Veneered		\$140.00	\$100.00

DESKS, BOOKCASES, ETC.:		REG.	SALE
Plastic Top Desk with Chair		\$34.95	\$29.95
Walnut Room Divider Bookcase		\$54.95	\$49.95
Large Pecan Desk Formica Brand Laminated Top 8 Drawers		\$119.95	\$99.95
30" Open Bookcase - Walnut Finish K.D.		\$19.95	\$16.95
Lane Record Storage Cabinet - Walnut Veneer		\$74.95	\$57.95

CEDAR CHEST-LANE:		REG.	SALE
Cherry Veneer - Mediterranean Style with Base Drawer		\$119.95	\$99.95
Modern Walnut - Large Size		\$109.95	\$89.95
Dark Oak - Mediterranean Style		\$69.50	\$54.50
Modern Walnut		\$79.95	\$66.00

METAL CABINETS - FLOOR SAMPLES		REG.	SALE
42" China Cabinet - Sliding Glass Doors - AS IS		\$59.95	\$39.95
36" Utility Cabinet - with Shelves in Doors - Dented		\$43.95	\$33.95
30 x 30 Wall Cabinet - AS IS		\$27.95	\$19.95
54" Wall Cabinet - AS IS		\$24.95	\$19.95
30" Wall Cabinet - AS IS		\$24.95	\$21.95
36" Wardrobe - Woodgrain Front - Dented AS IS		\$49.95	\$39.95

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